

there," said Mink, "knowing today. I chanced to look out of the window when I saw a flash of flame, followed immediately by a gust of black smoke. At the same time I heard the explosion, which seemed to shake

MRS. GREENWOOD SET OFF BOMB BY OPENING GATE, THEORY

Criminal Made Full Preparations
Death Caused by Flying Debris
Victim Fell Into Diabolical Trap

There is a possible reconstruction of the crime by which Mrs. George Greenwood lost her life last evening, based upon facts gathered by a TRIBUNE reporter who was a block from the scene at the time of the explosion and who arrived there a few minutes afterward.

The crime was committed by a man who was sure of his ground. He must have made a close study of the Greenwood house and the house occupied by Miss Florine Brown and Mrs. Lillian Brown Everts, which adjoin the house where the explosion took place. It seems apparent that he not only knew their habits, but he knew something of the conditions that existed within the households. He must have kept a close check upon the movements of all the members of the two households yesterday. The situation was ideal for the planting of a bomb without being observed. It was likely that the actions of a man engaged in planting a bomb would only be observed from the Greenwood or the Brown-Everts residence before she stepped into the trap. It was undoubtedly planned was between these two houses.

THREE PERSONS IN HOUSE.

In the Greenwood house there were only three persons. They were Mrs. George Greenwood, who was ill in bed upstairs, and Mrs. Greenwood, who was most likely writing letters in the library on the ground floor. It was from the ground floor that she stepped into the trap. The nurse, Bella Collins, had gone out of the house. An only son, Monroe Greenwood, was also not at home.

The bomb was in the kitchen preparing the supper. She could not have seen any man at work. It was unlikely that Greenwood, from his sick bed, would, in the library where Mrs. Greenwood was writing there are high windows facing upon the courtyard and the gateway where the criminal worked. The library is almost on a level with the ground and even had she been standing it is unlikely she would have seen any one.

TWO SERVANTS AT HOME.

In the Brown-Everts home there were only two Japanese servants, a maid and a cook. The maid, James Miyamoto, who is the house servant, and the cook. By pretending to be a workman repairing the gate the perpetrator could very easily have "allayed any suspicion on the part of the Japanese, even had they seen him."

There is a passage way between the Greenwood and the Brown-Everts home, a narrow alleyway between the two houses. The perpetrator could have entered the Greenwood automobile into their garage. It opens upon the street. On one side is a wire fence enclosing the Greenwood courtyard. On the other is a wooden fence dividing the Brown-Everts yard from the Greenwood. There was ample opportunity for the perpetrator to conceal himself behind the garage or other out-

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Mrs. Greenwood Was Loyal Worker in Red Cross Chapter



MRS. GEORGE D. GREENWOOD was prominent as a Red Cross worker. She is shown here among a coterie of friends making up packages for the soldiers overseas early in the war. Seated at the table, from left to right, are MRS. EDSON F. ADAMS, MRS. P. E. BOWLES, MRS. GEORGE D. GREENWOOD, MRS. H. SPENCE BLACK. Standing are MRS. FRANK AVERY, MISS FLORINNE BROWN and MRS. LILLIAN BROWN EVERTS.

Was an Active Member of St. Paul's Auxiliary

The Oakland Chapter Red Cross had no more loyal or faithful member than Mrs. George D. Greenwood. She was a member of St. Paul's Auxiliary, where she made bandages as long as bandages were needed and sewed on hospital garments and refugee garments when bandages were no longer required. She gave much of her time to the Red Cross Shop, where she assisted Mrs. Bernard Ransome in the sales department. Emergencies always found Mrs. Greenwood volunteering for service; she worked every day at headquarters during the time the Christmas packages were being prepared to send to the soldiers overseas, the first Christmas of the war. So cheerfully were her services given at that time that the Red Cross never failed to call upon her in emergencies and she never failed to respond.

POSITION IS DETERMINED.

The ammunition fired from a shell cartridge is exploded in the direction of least resistance. A stump, being blasted, can be made to shoot in a given direction by a proper placing of the explosive. The explosive, then, was placed in such a position in which there was strong resistance in the direction of the Greenwood house and practically no resistance in the direction of the Brown-Everts house.

A shattered portion of brick wall at the end of the enclosure of the Greenwood courtyard, just at the gate, showed where the bomb had exploded. It evidently, then, was placed on the side of the fence facing the other house and obstructed from the view of Mrs. Greenwood. Since the bomb did not explode when Mrs. Greenwood left the library, it is evident that she must have approached the gate. Either her opening of the gate set it off or she stepped on some hidden fuse.

OPENING GATE FATAL.

That she set off the bomb when she opened the gate is a more likely theory. The criminal had carefully prepared the ground. The approach to the gateway was of brick pavement. Any fuse could not have been thoroughly hidden on the pavement and there was danger of frustrating his whole plan by leaving any suspicious object exposed to view.

The gate served a double purpose. It could either be swung so as to close the courtyard or so as to close the roadway leading from the garage to the street. No one seemed to remember whether it closed one roadway or the other. Perhaps it was partially ajar in the direction of the courtyard and it is not at all unlikely that when Mrs. Greenwood pulled it in her direction, it struck what exploded the bomb.

IN VIEW OF SUN PARLOR.

As Mrs. Greenwood stepped to the gate she had a full view of the parlor that looks from the Brown-Everts home. Often, when Mrs. Greenwood sat in her own sunny room in the upper part of the building Miss Brown and Mrs. Everts would sit in their own sun parlor and they would wave greetings at each other.

It was only the day before that Mrs. Greenwood had been a happy guest at the home of her neighbors. That she set off the bomb when she opened the gate is a more likely theory. The criminal had carefully prepared the ground. The approach to the gateway was of brick pavement. Any fuse could not have been thoroughly hidden on the pavement and there was danger of frustrating his whole plan by leaving any suspicious object exposed to view.

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VICTIM OF BOMB LEADER IN SOCIETY

Mrs. George D. Greenwood has been an acknowledged society leader in Oakland and in San Francisco, where her parents and those of her husband were pioneers. She was one of the quartet of Tubbs girls, the beautiful daughters of the late Hiram Tubbs, early capitalist and owner of the famous old Tubbs Hotel, occupying the square between Fifth and Sixth avenues and Twelfth and Fourteenth streets, in East Oakland. A decade ago the place was known throughout California as a pleasure resort. It was destroyed by fire some twenty years ago. When the daughters were married their father built each of them palatial homes, surrounding the extensive hotel grounds, which they occupied until their deaths. The daughters were Mrs. Greenwood, formerly Miss May Tubbs; Mrs. William G. Henshaw, Mrs. Grace Tubbs Henshaw, the divorced wife of Justice Frederick Henshaw; and Mrs. Edward M. Hall. All residing in this city.

Miss Susette Greenwood, the only daughter in the Greenwood family, was married to Herbert Hall, son of Frederick Hall, Piedmont capitalist, some two years ago. She has one child. Mrs. Hall has been called from San Diego, where she was visiting friends, to the Greenwood home, the most intimate friends of Mrs. Greenwood, where she made bandages as long as bandages were needed and sewed on hospital garments and refugee garments when bandages were no longer required. She gave much of her time to the Red Cross Shop, where she assisted Mrs. Bernard Ransome in the sales department. Emergencies always found Mrs. Greenwood volunteering for service; she worked every day at headquarters during the time the Christmas packages were being prepared to send to the soldiers overseas, the first Christmas of the war. So cheerfully were her services given at that time that the Red Cross never failed to call upon her in emergencies and she never failed to respond.

The Greenwood was putting the finishing details to an estate near Woodside, the fashionable colony where so many intimate friends had located near Redwood City and to the occupancy of which Mrs. Greenwood was looking forward with happiness. She had named it "Play Farm." She also had a place in the Santa Cruz mountains.

Among the most intimate friends of Mrs. Greenwood was Mrs. Charles Minor Goodall, a near neighbor. Mrs. Greenwood was a conservative social leader and patron of the fine arts. She was generous in lending her name to philanthropic undertakings and to what which promoted culture. While not a member of any of the organized clubs or societies, she was identified with many of the movements on behalf of children.

Pioneer Woman's Funeral Is Held

Funeral services of Mrs. Julia Gibson, who crossed the plains in 1855 with her husband, were held this afternoon with interment in Evergreen Cemetery. Upon their arrival in the state the family located in Amador county, where Mrs. Gibson lived until six years ago. She then came to Piedmont to live with her daughter, Mrs. Mary G. Breese, where she died Tuesday. She was 77 years old. Beside her daughter she is survived by three sisters, Mrs. R. M. Wright, Mrs. John Jose, Mrs. Elizabeth Lee of Oroville and Mrs. Mary Eagan of San Francisco; a brother, Robert Jameson of Plymouth; four grandchildren, Julia Breese, B. A. Breese, Mrs. P. W. Moody, Mrs. Fred H. Gullin and a great grandson, Frederick B. Gullin of Stockton.

Saloon Man Fires to Scare Burglars

Burglars who attempted two nights ago to rob the saloon of Jacob Kober, 1449 Fourteenth street, have a two-day handicap in their favor in their race with the police. Kober says the burglars entered his saloon and were frightened away when they heard his wife coming downstairs, and he did not think it worth while to report to the police at once. Kober says to make sure they were frightened off he fired a shotgun in the air.

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\$1250 Reward For Slayer Is Offered by State and City

Two hundred and fifty dollars reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the persons responsible for the death of Mrs. Geo. D. Greenwood by a bomb explosion was authorized today by the city council. This is in addition to the reward of \$1000 offered by the State through Governor Stephens in Sacramento as soon as he heard of the outrage.

HANDWRITING EXPERTS BUSY ON BOMB CASE

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—The participation of the federal authorities, represented by Postoffice Inspector William McHenry of Oakland, in the Greenwood bomb murder investigation, was ordered by Chief Postoffice Inspector F. H. Morse here today. Inspector McHenry is now co-operating with the Oakland police and all evidence such as examples of handwriting unknown to the Greenwood family, will be turned over to him with the belief that some clue to the perpetrators of the outrage may be obtained.

The federal authorities here are optimistic of obtaining tangible results in their investigation owing to the announcement made by their own handwriting expert, Theodore Kytka, before his death of investigations he was making of the C. C. and Employees' Liberty League warnings which were sent to prominent citizens and members of the judiciary a few days before the Greenwood bomb explosion in 1918, upon the bombing of Governor Stephens' mansion at Sacramento.

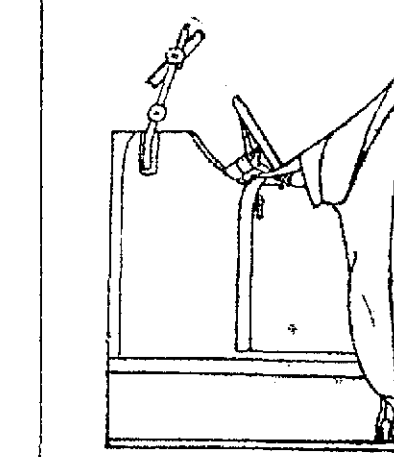
Expert Kytka said a few days before his death that he would reveal not only the identity of the writers of the C. C. of C. letters, but also of the master spirit who had conceived the other bomb plots which made the Cat Club club of California an object of terror.

An immediate examination is to be made of KYTKA's papers in the case, which were turned over to the government, and it is believed that some of the experts in the postal department here can complete this work and develop a clue which will clear up not only the Greenwood case, but all the others which have thus far proved baffling to state and federal officials.

HELD FOR TRIAL.

BERKELEY, March 19.—With bail fixed at \$300, Charles W. Atwood, Oakland shipworker, arrested for attacking his wife and two daughters with a hammer, has been held to the superior court on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill.

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LINK CRIME WITH ONE AT SACRAMENTO

SACRAMENTO, March 19.—That the Oakland bomb outrage that resulted in the death of Mrs. George Greenwood last night, was perpetrated by the same persons who blew up Gov. Stephens' mansion about a year ago is declared by the police here today.

Chief Conran and Captain of Detectives Ryan, who handled the investigation of the Stephens outrage, also assisted the Oakland police in the investigation of threatening letters sent to Greenwood some weeks ago.

"The initials 'C. C. of C.' stand for the 'Cat's Claw of California,'" said Conran today. "The letters to Stephens and to Greenwood were both prepared with the same set of rubber stamps, and their similarity of style indicates they were written by the same man."

A clue to the Sacramento dynamiting was obtained, Ryan states, but the suspect eluded arrest and left the United States. That he has returned is believed.

The police former close to work upon the police predict an early arrest. Governor Stephens, when informed of the tragedy last night, at once ordered a state reward of \$1000 for the arrest of the guilty parties be posted.

Questioned about the possibility of the same persons being responsible for the Oakland outrage and the dynamiting of his home, the governor refused to make any direct statement, declaring that his information was not sufficient to clearly indicate any connection, beyond the similarity in methods employed.

Program Prepared for Rotary Luncheon

Group 6 of the Oakland Rotary Club, which is in charge of the luncheon of that body at the Hotel Oakland tomorrow, promises a program of entertaining features for the occasion, but the details are to be kept secret until the guests arrive. There will be a Boy Scout mess call at 12:15. Other features will be a two-act play, which is to be staged by five actors under the title of "The Rotary Romance." A new song on "Rotary" will be sung and there will be other features of interest, according to the group members.

Farm Problems Are Conference Subject

BERKELEY, March 19.—New developments and any problems in agricultural research will be considered at a six-day conference of more than 100 farm advisers which will open Friday at the University of California.

The members of the conference are now at Davis, but are leaving today for Berkeley. Professor B. H. Crocker of the department of agriculture will preside at the meeting, while Miss H. G. Davis will show the progress of some demonstration followed by reports from nine other home demonstration counties.

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TWO "SNAIL - HUNTERS" MAY GIVE CLEW TO MURDER

PANIC ENSUES WHEN HOUSES HIT BY BLAST

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Pilliant Jones, a secretary with the War Camp Community service, Miss Jones occupies a house adjoining the Greenwood residence, in the rear. She heard the explosion and, looking out, saw pieces of wreckage flying about.

Beside the Greenwood house damage was done to three fine, large houses occupied by wealthy Oaklanders in the vicinity. These were the fine Brown-Everett home, the Kales home across the street, and the home of Giles M. Easton at 1573 Harrison street.

PANIC ENSUES AS EXPLOSION IS HEARD.

The whole district was shaken. Residents in the neighborhood hurried out of their houses in a panic. A number of children were playing on Lake street about a block away. Lake street juts into Harrison at right angles. "Oh! There's smoke, there's smoke over there," the children shouted as they ran in the direction of the Greenwood home.

Mrs. Greenwood apparently was in the library writing letters just before the explosion. The library opens onto a court in the rear. The house forms an "L" on two sides. In the rear is the garage and a fence and on the other side is a fence and a gate opening on a road that runs into the street. The evidence shows that the bomb must have been planted at this gate.

There was a mail box just across the street to which Mrs. Greenwood was probably going.

Whether Mrs. Greenwood sprang a trap, stumbled on the bomb or had picked it up and let it drop have not been determined. Bits of cloth that were evidently part of a bomb were picked up.

Bits of clothing blown into three tops.

Her body was found lying on its back. It was not dismembered, but her face and chest were mutilated from fragments of broken brick and wood that struck her. One piece crashed through her skull. Much of her clothing was torn from her and scattered in all directions. Pieces of wire from the fence and bits of the clothing were blown high up into nearby trees.

Greenwood hastily dressed, came downstairs and helped take the body into the house. Greenwood and a cook, Ina Johnson, were the only persons in the house at the time. A nurse, Bella Collins, had gone out. Within a few minutes Captain of Inspectors Drew and a score of inspectors arrived on the scene, and began questioning witnesses and gathering evidence.

Dr. E. V. Tiffany, county autopsy surgeon, and Dr. O. D. Hamlin made an autopsy last night. There were found in the body six pieces of galvanized wire, one piece six inches long. The right leg was shattered in several places. Before the body was removed from the Greenwood home pieces of brick were extracted by detectives.

SAME METHODS USED IN ALL ATTEMPTS

The Greenwood explosion is the third in the series attributed to the gang supposed to have dynamited the Hutchinson home and the home of Governor William D. Stephens in Sacramento. In each case the same methods were used, say the police, and in each case money was demanded, this time for \$50,000. The "C. C. of C." letters threatening Governor Stephens and Senator Hiram Johnson, are supposed to have a connection with the mysterious band of dynamiters.

The police today worked on several different angles, following down a multiplicity of clues, but in the search failed, they say, to unearth any definite details. They looked up possible enemies of the Henshaw family, of which Mrs. Greenwood was a member, on a rumor that threats had been made against the Henshaws but the fact that the Hutchinsons were in contact with the Henshaws made the theory of vengeance untenable, according to the inspectors on the case.

T. N. T. USED, DECLARED EXPERTS ON EXPLOSIVES

District Attorney DeLoe, who is conducting a line of investigation separately from the police, today received a report from the powder experts, headed by Harry East Miller, which indicated the use of T. N. T. No definite idea of what was used as a detonator was gained by the experts, who presume that some form of fulminate of mercury or silver, timed to ignite in a matter of hours, was used in the deadly mass of explosive. The bomb was covered with rags and bound together with wire.

Mrs. Greenwood had been writing letters and checked them off her list, and had apparently risen from her work in a little den adjoining the Greenwood bathroom and stepped out of the rear door toward the gate, possibly to mail her letters, according to the police. By strange coincidence, or by reason of her touching the gate, the bomb exploded at that moment.

The force of the explosion ripped the clothing from her back and hurled her into the neighborhood. Summoned by neighbors who heard the explosion, Police Corporal Macey and a squad of men responded, to be followed by Inspector William J. Emigh, Inspector Tom Calkins, and later Inspector Tom Woods. Today Captain of Detectives James T. Drew and Chief of Police Henry Nedderman took direct personal charge of the investigation.

INDIAN MEDICINE MEN

In the Indian Tribe one finds the "Medicine Man,"—one versed in the healing art of roots, herbs, leaves and barks. In these he discovers emollients, carminatives, laxatives and tonics, all of which are prepared and offered to sufferers among the tribe. To such good, old-fashioned roots and herbs Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, the most efficient remedy in the world for female ills, owes its success. For forty-five years it has been restoring the women of America to health, until it is now recognized as the standard remedy.—Advertisement.

These pictures were made by The TRIBUNE photographer at the scene of the explosion that caused the death of Mrs. George D. Greenwood. The upper picture shows the section of the yard where the bomb was placed. Debris can be seen scattered about, and also there is shown the damage to the house. The lower picture is that of the house.



MAN LEAVING GATE SEEN BY PAPERHANGER

A man who believes he saw the perpetrator of the bomb outrage just after he had placed the bomb at the gate and left the Greenwood premises was discovered this afternoon by the police.

He is H. H. Thomas, a paperhanger, 170 Twenty-first street. Thomas was working at 133 Lake street and quit at 5:30. He walked up Lake street to Harrison and turned uptown. He says just as he did so he saw a man of rather medium height leave the roadway of the Greenwood place and turn up Lake street on the other side of the street.

Thomas says he did not notice the man closely, but he remembers he had on a long black coat and wore a black slouch hat. He walked rather stooped. Thomas did not get a look at his face and could give no idea of his age or nationality. As Thomas, after he had turned up Harrison street, was walking somewhat in advance of the missing man, on the other side of the street, he paid no further attention to him. Thomas estimates that this happened about 5:35, which was about 15 minutes before the explosion. By the time the explosion occurred he was well uptown.

Bolsheviki Routed By Force of Greeks

SALONIKI, March 19. (By The Associated Press.)—Greek troops have defeated the Russian Bolsheviks at Kherson, northeast of Odessa and advanced about twelve miles, according to an official announcement made today by Greek headquarters here. The Greeks captured prisoners and war materials.

Weinstock Suggests Living Cost Solution

SACRAMENTO, March 19.—Make the state of California the mid-dleman for the handling of food products between the producer and consumer.

This is the solution advocated today by Col. Harris Weinstock, head of the state market commission, as the panacea for the high cost of living.

Whether the solution would be a practicable one, as far as the state's finances are concerned, he admits he is not prepared to state. But it would solve the producer to consumer problem, he says.

The milkmen and the fishermen agree with him.

Exempt National and State Bank Deposits

SACRAMENTO, March 19.—The Senate passed a bill by Rominger extending exemption from taxation to time deposits in national and state banks. The present law only exempts such deposits of savings banks and building and loan associations.

WOMAN HELD FOR TRIAL

Mari Edwards, 811 Clay street, Oakland, was held to answer by United States Commissioner Francis Krull today in bonds of \$200 following her arrest Sunday night by Police Officers Connolly and Pahey of the Oakland department, charged with violating the federal ten mile zone social evil proclamation.

There's a message from Joe King to you on Page 10.—Advertisement.

Street Department Laborers Ask Raise

The sub-foremen and laborers of the street department are seeking a general raise of 50 cents a day in their pay, and a petition to that effect is to be presented to the mayor and board of commissioners this evening. The petition bears the signatures of 200 voters of the city.

STOLE POLICE HANDCUFFS

URBANA, Ill.—They don't want the prisoner, but the handcuffs cost \$10. Isaac Allen, wife beater, compounded his offense by hitting Policeman McBride, and then vanishing.

This angle of the mystery. The chemical deposit found on pieces of metal near the explosion, or which may have been a part of the bomb, may tell much after it is subjected to analysis, according to authorities.

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Hand Grenade Is New Bomb Theory

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ent at the scene of the bomb outrage in the company of Oliver early this morning. "It might have been any one of several highly concentrated explosives and the type of concentration that could be obtained as a result of getting the proper derivatives from the stolen dynamite is not a far-fetched theory."

The bomb which killed Mrs. Greenwood exploded probably three feet from the ground and must have been made of a very high concentration. The condition of the body of the dead woman shows conclusively, it is believed by the experts, that the bomb did not explode on the ground. Furthermore, the fact that there were no powder marks on the body or any part of the clothing goes further to show that it was a highly concentrated type of explosive that would not leave a powder trail such as would be left by dynamite.

"The clew unearthed in the bringing to light of the theft of dynamite from the Oakland Dynamite Company may prove to be one of the most valuable pieces of information the authorities have yet obtained."

Two things stand out above everything else; first, the bomb was of a high concentration; second, it was not on the ground when it exploded. Whether it was tied in some way to the wire of the fence near the spot where the tragedy took place is a question hard to solve. Whether on the other hand, the bomb was thrown and exploded in mid-air or was exploded after striking Mrs. Greenwood, is an equally difficult problem to solve.

Hundreds of pieces of metal, in sizes of from an eighth of an inch to six inches were picked by the police from the boards of a fence near the scene of the explosion. These will be carefully examined by the experts in an effort to establish the type of explosive. This, it is believed, if accomplished, will tremendously help those investigating

'TRIPLE C' IS BLAMED FOR DYNAMITING

That the mysterious "C. C. of C." organization is responsible for the dynamiting last night of the George D. Greenwood home, in which Mrs. Greenwood was killed, is supposed by detectives today. This is the organization which is believed to have dynamited the home of Governor Stephens in Sacramento several years ago; to have placed five sticks of dynamite under the tank house of the home of Charles T. Hutchinson, after a series of threatening letters; to have exploded about there, and to have threatened the Hutchinsons.

The threatening letter received by Greenwood last year, and investigated by the police at that time, resulted in guards being placed about the home for a time. No second letter came and the police came to the conclusion that the gang menacing the Hutchinsons had broken up. Whether they lay in wait until vigilance had relaxed, or whether they had gone and returned after puzzles before the detectives today.

SEND THREATS FIRST.

The Hutchinson dynamiting was the culmination of several threatening notes. While the police were investigating these notes and mail inspectors were seeking to trace the letters, as well as threats against Governor Stephens and Senator Hiram Johnson, the dynamiters planned their explosive on the evening of December 27, 1915, in the Hutchinson home at 274 Nineteenth street, within a stone's throw of the Greenwood home. The dynamiters planned their explosive to leave \$5000 in Lakeside, north of a portion of the wall of the house. A Chinese servant, the only person in the home at the time, was not injured. A finger print and a letter were the only clews. It was believed that the dynamite had been set off with a time fuse.

THREATENED LAST YEAR.

The Greenwood threat came in January, 1918. The note was thought to be the work of a small boy playing a prank, but when the police investigated a deeper significance was attached to it, and Captain of Police Frank Lynch ordered a guard placed about the home. The letter ordered the Greenwood to leave \$5000 in Lakeside, north of a certain spot, or be dynamited. Monroe Greenwood later received a mysterious telephone message, informing him that the plan would be dynamited because of his failure to "come through" on the threat. The plan was made in vain to trace this call.

The letter, similar to the letter received by the Hutchinsons, was found on the lawn before the Greenwood home. Inspector Harry Green, then captain of inspectors, handled the investigation of the matter.

SAME SPOT FIGURES.

The Stephens dynamiting was laid by the same source, because the demand on Governor Stephens for \$50,000 ordered it to be placed near the spot named in the Greenwood instructions, and an Oakland postmark on one of the letters further indicated the Oakland origin of the threats. Inspector St. Clair Hodgkin made an exhaustive study of the letters, written with rubber stamp type such as is sold in toy printing outfits, and stamped with purple ink. Scores of wealthy men, the police said, might have paid tribute and not complained on receipt of letters from the supposed gang.

Investigations into the Italian hand bomb makers and outrages, mostly among wealthy Italians of San Francisco, and which had some angles in Oakland, in 1916, was connected by the police with the Greenwood and Hutchinson threats.

The Hutchinson dynamiting followed a direct warning in the shape of a few sticks of dynamite, left beside the home, several days before the explosion.

LANGRISH TILLY BUST. DETROIT, Mich.—Police believe some window trimmer was asleep

walking. He stole four corset covers, one Teddy bear, silk hose and other lingerie from the home of Mrs. Markus Marks.

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MEN'S CO. LUMBIA SOX, come in all colors and sizes	10c	1-LB. 19c	15-LB. 36c
WOMEN'S HATS—Any woman's trimmed hat in the house, including values to \$7.50, go at	95c	1-LB. 71c	45c CLIFF COFFEE IN GLASS JARS
MEN'S BLUE CHAMBRAY WORK SHIRTS. Special	69c	Carnation, Alpine and Borden's Milk. Tall can.	11c 11 1/2
MEN'S GAUNTLET GLOVES. Leather palm. Special	39c	MATCHES—Blue Bird and Swift & Courtney	5c
MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS—Golf and negligee. Values to \$2.00. Special	98c	Pasco or Presto TOMATO SAUCE	5c
		45c ROYAL BAKING POWDER	35c
		POST TOASTIES. Special ..	11c
		SKINNER'S PASTES	3
		MACARONI—For SPAGHETTI	25c
		20-MULE BORAX CHIPS. Large size	29c
		E. C. CORN FLAKES, 3 for	25c

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A genuine shoe sale of importance. Extraordinary bargains placed on sale at big reductions.

250 PAIR CHILDREN'S MULESKIN SCUFFER SHOES—Are very sturdy; come in black and tan with genuine welt elk soles; all sizes, large and small, on sale at ..	\$1.49	Velvet or Edgeworth Tobacco	11c 11 1/2
BAREFOOT SANDALS—Are tan, of good chrome leather and heavy flexible solid sole; all sizes. \$1.50 value	98c	RELU (union made) Cigarettes	14c
CHILDREN'S KID SHOES—Are black with patent tip; assorted sizes; on sale at	98c	CHIFFERFIELD Cigarettes	15c
MEN'S MUNSON LAST WORK SHOES—Are tan chrome leather; oak soles; all sizes, for	\$3.45	BULL DURHAM Special, 3 for	25c
		QUEEN QUALITY. Slightly soiled, 6 For	25c
		OBAC Cigarettes	7 1/2c
		IMPERIAL Cigarettes	10c
		LUCKY STRIKE Cigarettes	16c
		CAMEL Cigarettes	17c
		PEDRO Tobacco	10c
		PRINCE ALBERT Tobacco	13 1/2c
		STAR Tobacco	69c
		HORSE SHOE Tobacco	69c
		KOTTON Cigarettes—(union made), 12 to pack	4c
		OWL AND NEW BATCHelor Cigs	5 1/2c
		EL WADORA Havana Cigs	5c
		EL PANO Havana Cigs	5c
		BOX OF 25	\$1.19

ISSUE DOUGHBOY PAPER IN GERMANY

Copies of the "Fourth Corps Line" the first and only newspaper published in Germany by the boys of the army of occupation, have been received here by Mrs. A. G. Hunter of 1721 Twenty-third avenue, from her sister, Miss Max Watson, who is an army nurse stationed at Menden, Germany, where the newspaper is issued. Miss Watson has been overseas since last June and has at all times been close up to the front lines, according to her sister.

The publication is the official organ of the Fourth Corps Artillery Park and is devoted to topics of interest to the men in uniform.

In describing some of the experiences of the men who are now on German soil, the newspaper, in its issue of January 18, says:

Coblenz, the capital of the American occupation, beautiful Rhinisch Coblenz welcomed 600 Fourth C. A. P. lads Thursday and made them forget their

homesickness from 10 o'clock in the morning until 10 o'clock at night. Sight-seeing, dancing, ice cream, Real American hospitality in the heart of Germany.

Promptly at 7:30 o'clock in the morning twelve trucks rolled out of Menden. This convoy was followed by three others, one of thirteen trucks, the other of fifteen, all in charge of Major Thomas J. Porter, Jr. That was how they got there.

It was a sunny, crisp morning, and favorable weather continued throughout the day. On arrival at the bridge, the men had their passes stamped and proceeded in the trucks to the parking place. All dismounted and received meal tickets which entitled them to two meals at the Union restaurant. Instructions were given regarding the day's entertainment. From then till night the quartered circle was seen everywhere throughout the city.

Nearly the first place to draw a crowd was a small store which gave prominence to signs advertising ice cream. A line was formed quickly. In short order the stock vanished. That was how they began the day.

At 3 M. C. and K. of C. reading, writing, and entertainment rooms took care of the social side of the program. The "Y" has an excellent place in the "Festhalle," with a large round, clock room, and orchestra on one floor, a pipe organ, stage and motion picture material on the second. The hall was the scene of a costume dance at 8 o'clock in the evening. Costumes were loaned by the "Y." Before the dance there was a band concert.

Other features of the "Y" is a large canteen where men may be exchanged and loaned. Cigarettes and cigarettes bought. There is a library and a restaurant where excellent cuisine is provided. In another part of the city, the "Y" has a snooker branch for recreation and nearby the K. of C. have small but comfortable quarters.

Daily excursions to points of interest in and about the city were arranged and conducted by the "Y" men, and of these many of the men took advantage. Others strolled casually about the city, gazing at the massive statue of Wilhelm I. at the junction of the Moselle and Rhine or hunting souvenirs in the city stores.

Refreshed, invigorated and well pleased, the boys boarded the trucks at night for the 25-kilometer drive back to Menden. And that was the end of a perfect day.

KILLS FATHER'S SLAYER

DOUGLAS, Cal., March 18—Robert Merrill, a chain gang road worker, snatched a shotgun from a guard and killed Walter Harper, a farmer, who had killed Merrill's father several years ago.

ONLY ONE IN 17 HERE COMMUTER

The market survey of the Eastbay cities which is being conducted by the advertising bureau of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce under the direction of H. A. Laffer, is bringing out interesting facts.

One of the features of the survey is an analysis of the trans-bay travel by house.

A count made on March 6 for the market survey showed that 96,425 passengers crossed the bay on that date. Of these approximately 24,000 were holders of commutation books. Of these 24,000 however, the surprising fact is revealed that fully 5500 live in San Francisco and commute to Oakland to work, while 18,500 live in Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley and work in San Francisco.

Analysis of the figure shows that 4702 passengers come from San Francisco to Oakland and Alameda on the Southern Pacific trains between 9 and 9 o'clock in the morning and 1138 on the Key Route during the same hours. This is a total of 3800 and it is estimated that of these at least 5500 are workers.

The data show that out of a population of 320,000 on the east side of the bay only about one person in seventeen is an actual commuter. The rest of the travel is made up of those who live in San Francisco and work in the Eastbay industries, those who come to the Eastbay on business or recreation, and those who go from the Eastbay cities to San Francisco to shop or for entertainment.

Another feature of the survey will be a count of the number of vehicles on the principal traffic streets entering the business district of Oakland. This study has been completed with reference to Twelfth street opposite the Auditorium, which is shown to have a

'Agony Camp' Laid to Washington 'Unpreparedness Causes Misery'

Investigation of conditions should begin in Washington, D. C., rather than at St. Agnan, known as Agony camp, according to Captain Arthur M. Merrill, Red Cross worker, assigned to the foreign camp through which the American men pass on their way to be demobilized, in letters to local friends. Captain Merrill writes:

"Senator Lodge has asked Congress to investigate St. Agnan (Agony camp). I would ask that the investigation begin with Washington and that it start back several years, to find out why the United States is in such a condition of unpreparedness that such conditions as exist at St. Agnan are not only possible, but almost unavoidable.

"The officers in charge of this camp, Colonel Cass and Colonel Ribey, are earnest able men, but unfortunately they cannot perform miracles. They are doing all that is humanly possible and they welcome any available help. The men who laid out this camp did it in the summer. They were too short-

traffic flow of \$15 vehicles per hour as against 700 for Broadway below Grand avenue.

Study of traffic on Grove, San Pablo, Telegraph and other streets is in progress.

A striking fact brought out by the survey is that the Eastbay cities have a larger proportion of families living in single family detached dwellings than any community in the United States. Out of 320,000 people in the Eastbay cities only 12,000 persons live in apartments and 4900 in hotels.

It is expected that the survey will be completed about April 15.



A springtime warning

THE very touch of your daughter's cold hands warn you that her blood is poor. And even more alarming are her pallid face, blue lips, weakness, lassitude, and indifference to studies and pleasures. Put her on Pepto-Mangan. The results will greatly encourage you.



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A great Springtime boon to all frail, languid people. It supplies the blood with just the elements it needs to make it rich, red and pure. It tones up the whole system, increases appetite, improves color, and deposits vigor and vitality in all parts of the system. Easy to digest, agreeable to taste. Physicians everywhere endorse it.

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Alteration Sale

MARYMONT UPRIGHT
218 and 220 Washington, Oakland

Thursday---the last day to get 10% off on everything in the house

TOMORROW (Thursday) is the fourth and last day of the big 10% discount throughout the store. If you want to make your money go 10% further do all the shopping you can tomorrow. Think what this discount means on your Spring Suit, Coat, Cape or Hat. "X" stamps will be given as usual.

Walk-Over

QUINN & BRODER
The Walk-Over Boot Shop
1305 Washington St.

Many men with low insteps or thin heels come right in and ask for a combination last. If the shoe you now wear does not lace properly, you may need this combination—regular measurements around the toe, two widths narrower than usual around the heel. Some comfort here! The great variety of Walk-Over lasts insures a fit. See what a good-looking toe this last has.

FATIMA

A Sensible Cigarette

... and at the Stock Exchange

A fact:

At this, the very heart of Wall Street itself, one would naturally expect only high-priced cigarettes to be popular. But Fatima has proved an exception.

Fatima's popularity at the Stock Exchange is, in fact, so great that only one cigarette—a high-priced one, of course—equals or leads Fatima in sales.

Leggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

NOTE—Men who think and act at high tension appreciate a cigarette that leaves them feeling right. This quality, together with Fatima's pleasing taste doubtless explains why Fatima just seem to be the "right fit" for so many men.

Helen Gilbert To Be Bride of W. F. Booth Jr.

Of more than usual interest about the bay is the news of the engagement of Miss Helen Gilbert of San Francisco to William F. Booth Jr. of Berkeley, member of one of the best-known families of the college city.

Accompanying the engagement announcement is the further news that the wedding will be an event of the near future, after which the young couple will establish their home in Berkeley. Both of the young people are members of pioneer families of the bay section, the Gilberts and Booths having been identified with early California history.

Miss Gilbert is the daughter of George S. Gilbert of San Francisco and is a girl of unusual charm. Mr. Booth, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Booth, residing in one of the attractive old homes of the college city at Dana street and Bancroft way, recently returned from Allentown, Pa., where for more than a year he was associated in war work. Leaving Berkeley with the University of California ambulance unit headed by Major Powell, Booth transferred from that division and played in charge one of the branches of army activity in Allentown, where he remained until after the signing of the armistice.

Booth is a graduate of the University of California with the class of 1916, and is associated in the practice of law with his father in San Francisco. He is a cousin of Miss Joan Booth, well known as a leader in Red Cross activities in Berkeley during the war.

The latter part of March the social calendar will be filled with innumerable luncheon and tea engagements for the bride-elect or bride of the past season. And similar affairs are planned for visitors to the bay section. One of the largest teas for which cards are to be sent out in the near future is that to be presided over by Mrs. Martin Wade at the home of her mother, Mrs. John Holland Mallett, of Thousand Oaks. The affair, after the luncheon, will be a social courtesy to her many friends who have gathered on an extensive scale for her recently, the pretty affair is planned. Next week, Miss Mildred Snook is to preside at a luncheon and tea party in honor of Mrs. Wade, the luncheon to be given at her home in Berkeley.

On April 2, Mrs. Harold Danforth, who has taken apartments across the bay, will entertain for Mrs. Wade, a number of the guests to be from this side of the bay.

Tomorrow afternoon Mrs. Edgar Holmes Lion will be hostess at her home in Alameda at tea, the guest of honor to be Mrs. Irving Oliver. It is one of a series of affairs planned by Mrs. Lion for the spring.

ART EXHIBIT AND LECTURES ATTRACT MANY.

Invitations have been sent out by the San Francisco Art Association for the opening reception and private view of the 43d annual exhibition of the work of American painters, sculptors and architects to be held at the Palace of Fine Arts. During the course of the annual exhibition there will be given a series of seven conferences and recitals on successive Sunday afternoons in the Palace of Fine Arts. The conferences will be devoted to an exposition of the correlation of American art of painting, music, drama, literature, dance, sculpture and architecture. Lament speakers and artists will exemplify the interrelationship of the seven arts. American architecture is to be the subject of the first conference on Sunday, March 23. The recitals will begin at 2:15 o'clock.

BRIDE-ELECT TO BE HONOR GUEST.

At the home in Piedmont, tomorrow afternoon, Mrs. Kenneth Allison Williams will entertain at tea for Miss Ruth Kelsey, Berkeley bride-elect, several of the younger girls to assist in receiving. On Saturday afternoon a similar affair is planned for Miss Kelsey by Miss Helen Parks at the home of the Parks in Claremont.

Mrs. Whipple, who is soon to leave for the Philippine Islands to make her home, has been the motif the past week for several informal affairs, one of which was that given by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Channing Hall. Mrs. John Louis Lohse gave a luncheon yesterday for Mrs. Hall followed by an hour or two of bridge.

Mrs. Maurice Walsh will open her home in Piedmont to the members of the Linden branch of the Baby Hospital Association, Tuesday afternoon. The coteries include a score of matrons who are meeting throughout the year to make ready for their birth at the fair—always the largest charitable benefit sponsored in the fall.

NEW QUARTERS FOR ARMEANIAN RELIEF.

The Armenian relief rooms are again opened to the public following their removal from 1812 Telegraph avenue to 1214 San Pablo avenue. Mrs. Henry

MISS MILDRED SNOOK, popular Berkeley belle, who will entertain next week.



SALVATION ARMY DRIVE TO START

All arrangements were completed last evening by the Oakland Elks for a whirlwind campaign for the \$20,000 which Alameda county has been asked to contribute for the "Home Service Campaign" for the Salvation Army.

The business district of the city was divided into 23 districts which will be canvassed by the Elks. Chairman Hardy Hutchinson, who is handling the campaign, last night assigned 23 captains to each district and each captain was given the authority to appoint lieutenants. In this manner it is planned to bring the campaign and its purpose to the attention of every resident of the city.

Enthusiasm has been given the campaign by the theaters. Crane Wilbur is to make short speeches between acts. George McKay at the Orpheum will bring the campaign to the notice of his audience, while Thomas Myers at the Palace has arranged with members of his show to tell the people what the Elks are going to do.

A booth was arranged for last night at the Oakland auto show, which will be handled by the Elks' wives and literature distributed.

The campaign will open formally on Saturday evening and in the meanwhile contributions will be accepted at the Elks club or by the members.

New Highway South From S. F. Proposed

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—Final hearing of the matter concerning steps to be taken toward formation of a joint highway district of the counties of San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara and Santa Cruz was held this morning in the State Engineering Department rooms, Flato building.

The district has been proposed to handle the building of a new highway extending through those counties, from Lake Merced, San Francisco, down the ridge overlooking the Pacific to a junction point in the Santa Cruz mountains with the state highway near Santa Cruz.

Wetherbee, chairman; Mrs. Selah Merrill and Mrs. J. E. Carraway, managers, are among those interested in the plan.

Formerly specializing as a tea room, the shop has centered its interests upon

Call Issued For Suffrage Convention

By GEORGIA G. BORDWELL.

The call to the fifteenth annual convention of the National American Woman Suffrage Association has been sent out by the president, Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt.

Call to the fifteenth annual convention and double anniversary of the National American Woman Suffrage Association calls its delegates to meet in annual convention at St. Louis, Statler Hotel, March 21 to March 25, 1919, inclusive.

In 1892 Wyoming led all the world by the grant of full suffrage to its women. The convention will celebrate the fifteenth anniversary of this event.

In 1893, the National and the American Woman Suffrage Associations were organized to be combined twenty years later into the National American Woman Suffrage Association. The convention will celebrate the fifteenth anniversary of the founding of the organization which, without a pause, has carried forward, during half a century, the effort to secure the enfranchisement of women.

"As a fitting memorial to a half-century of progress, the National American Woman Suffrage Association invites the women voters of the fifteen full suffrage States to attend this anniversary convention and there to join their forces into a League of Women Voters, one of whose objects shall be to spread the suffrage campaign in its own and other countries."

"The convention will express its pleasure, with suitable ceremonial, that since last we met the women of England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, Canada and Germany have received the vote; but it will make searching inquiry into the mysterious causes which have retarded the progress of our Republic, a voice in their own government, while these of monarchies and autocracies are honored with political equality."

"Suffrage delegates, women voters, there is need of more serious counsel than in any previous year. It is not yet but the nation that has been discredited by the failure of the 1912 Convention to pass the Federal Suffrage Amendment."

"Let us inquire together. Let us act together."

EXPECTS RAPIDLY INCREASING VOTE

Hilbert the National American Woman Suffrage Association has been named as a body of women seeking the ballot. With the entrance of New York into complete voting power in 1917, with the addition of three full suffrage states in 1918, and the granting of partial suffrage to the women of three states in 1919, making seven in all where women have presidential suffrage, the National realizes that it must look forward to a rapidly increasing force of women who are using, not seeking the ballot.

The creation of a national union of women voters is to mark an epoch in the cause of political freedom. It is to be the way to the uses women will make of that freedom after they are enfranchised.

The name and the plan of work are to be presented for discussion and acceptance at the convention in St. Louis, Mo., beginning with the opening of the National American Woman Suffrage Association is made up of the "old guard" is evidenced by the literature which it is bringing out. It plainly shows that it does not approve of "militant methods."

"Does this mean to form a new party exclusively of women? If a party is a body of persons united for some purpose, it does not mean to form a party, it means to be a party insofar as it aims to be a part or portion of the government."

"In the sense that a party aims at 'political ascendancy' the new union would not be a party. There would be no intention of massing women against men; its object would be to utilize the franchise, already existing among enfranchised women, of turning out vote-seeking associations into law-seeking agencies for better social conditions."

There are now so many of these active legislative bodies of voting women that to the National American Woman Suffrage Association the time seems to have come to co-ordinate them and mass their forces.

The proposed coalition organization should be effected it would be pan-partisan and non-militant. Its immediate purpose, so far as America is concerned, would be to further the complete enfranchisement of all American women. Its farther-reaching purpose is to equalize the democracy of the country, especially as regards conditions governing women and children.

The same purposes, immediate and ultimate, would hold good so far as the world is concerned—enfranchisement for all women and improvement in the conditions of life governing women and children the world over."

INTERESTING LUNCHEON TO BE GIVEN.

Arrangements for the luncheon which will be given next Saturday at the Hotel Oakland, under the auspices of the Alameda County Educational Association, may be made through Mrs. Sue

FEEL AMERICANS MARRYING FRENCH

Two Eastbay men and two from San Francisco are included in a company of casualties which arrived at the Third street station yesterday in San Francisco. The contingent was one day late. The men were met by the Red Cross canteen workers in charge of Mrs. Prentiss Cobb Hale.

After spending fourteen months in France the men brought the word that American girls need not worry for few of the American soldiers were taking French brides. The group which arrived yesterday was made up of men from all branches of the service, including members of some of the units which are still in France.

Captain W. A. Crowe of San Francisco commanded the detachment with Captain Harry H. Postle as medical officer.

Joseph Rogers, 427 Euclid avenue, with the 48th aero squadron, and Franklin J. Wainwright, a Berkeley were the Eastbay men included in the detachment. Herman H. Nichols and Edward F. Kelley, both of San Francisco, were members of the contingent.

The note of victory is emphasized in the fashions of our first post-war exhibition. There is a gay, triumphant note in the colorings, the martial lines have given away to a charming femininity and a much greater style diversity.

Fremont Hospital May Be Sanitarium

The base hospital at Camp Fremont with its accommodations of 2,000 beds may be secured for a tuberculosis sanitarium for San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara and Santa Cruz counties.

The army officials have received orders to vacate the premises. That the building could be bought at a very low price and would be an ideal location for a sanitarium for the four counties mentioned is the belief of those interested.

Superintendent John McLean of San Francisco has been negotiating with the war department in Washington for some time and expects a definite decision on the matter in a few days.

L. Fratis, room 1107 City Hall, Miss Elizabeth Arlett, president of the association, with President and Mrs. Wood, state superintendent of schools, will speak on school legislation the luncheon will be presided over by the National American Woman Suffrage Association. The County Board of Supervisors are to be the guests of honor. The luncheon guests will be seated at table at 12:30.

CLUB WILL DISCUSS POETRY OF THE SEA.

Miss Emily Craig of the Technical High School faculty will give a lecture before the Women's Club of Pinnouth tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Her subject will be "The Poetry of the Sea," beginning with the legends of the old-time vikings. Miss Craig will discuss the magical sea of the poet's imagination, particularly the various aspects of the sea, the different moods and impressions which it has expressed in their poems. The discussion will then center around the modern poets of England who, like John Keats, find so much of inspiration in what the sea means to England.

The club will meet at 2 o'clock in Mayflower Hall. Miss Minnie Alken will contribute a musical program.

BERKELEY TO ENTERTAIN CIVIC LEAGUE.

The annual convention of the California Civic League, which is scheduled for some time in May, will meet this year in Berkeley. Mrs. Frank Law, secretary of Oakland Center, has been entrusted with the arrangement of the convention program. The nominating committee consists of Janet O'Connell, president of the San Francisco Civic League; Mrs. H. Winter of Berkeley; Mrs. E. Allan of San Francisco; H. Henry of Alameda, and Mrs. Herbert Lee, former president of Oakland Center.

DELPHIAN CLUB HAS BUSY WEEK.

The Delphian Club of Alameda, Mrs. Mildred Husbands, president, closed Monday afternoon deliberations and adjourned to the district convention of the California Federation of Women's Clubs to be held at Martinez April 8-10. The delegates selected are: Mrs. A. G. Rice, Mrs. Charles Cross, Mrs. A. J. Burger, Mrs. Louise McGuire and Miss Ida Spencer. The altercations of the club, Mrs. S. H. Weeks, Mrs. H. H. Eiter, Mrs. Philip H. Dohn and Mrs. G. Dohn.

The annual club luncheon will be held at the clubhouse next Friday. The annual meeting, at which officers are to be elected, will be held April 3. Nominations for the officers to be filled, as prepared by the nominating committee, are:

President, Miss Belle Garretts; first vice-president, Mrs. Thomas G. Holt; second vice-president, Mrs. P. W. Horton; treasurer, Miss Ida M. Spencer; general curator, Mrs. William Shepard; director, Mrs. Robert E. Carr; director, Mrs. Wallace Mercede; director, Mrs. Joseph H. Ennall; director, Mrs. W. E. Vaulsley; director, Mrs. W. H. Storey; director, Mrs. John E. Gandy; membership committee, Mesdames Charles Alender, H. V. Dexter, H. H. Eiter, Adeline H. Hoover and George E. Plummer.

CLUB NOTES FROM ALAMEDA.

The High School Club has arranged a cell-tutorial meeting of club members, teachers and parents for March 23. Cards, guessing contests and a buffet supper will be features. All of the club members will serve as a reception committee to look after the places of the parents.

Mrs. Samuel Terry will be hostess for the meeting of the Alameda Reading Club next Friday. The meeting will be at the home of Mrs. William Holt on Everett street.

The Wednesday Club is meeting today at the home of Mrs. W. E. Jackson on Broadway, Alameda. A luncheon preceded the business meeting. Mrs. Charles Taber presided at the meeting. Child's Welfare League workers will speak. The nominating committee of the club, Mrs. A. J. Burger, chairman, will report on the ticket selected for the coming year.

W. G. Paden, principal of the Lincoln school, gave an address Tuesday afternoon before the Lincoln School Club on grounds of the school. His subject was "Why the Child is Left Over." Mrs. O. H. Fischer, club president, was in charge of the meeting.

HOME CLUB TO PLAY CARDS TOMORROW.

Tomorrow at 2 o'clock the members of the Home Club will meet Mrs. Daniel E. Henderson for a social and card game of cards. Members may reserve as many tables as they wish, and as this is a social gathering, no special obligations, the party promises to be a large one. Mrs. George A. Crocker will act as hostess.

The Home Club will not cease its activities in May this year; owing to the entered vacation during the winter and owing to the fact that the Oakland schools will not close until the end of June, the club will keep its hospitable doors open through that lovely month.

STRONG COMMITTEE WILL DISSEMINATE.

The closing meeting of the Committee on Relief in Belgium and Northern France will be held tomorrow afternoon at Miss Ransom's School, end of Hazel Lane, Piedmont. Miss Ransom has been the Oakland hostess for a year; the report of the work accomplished in Oakland during the existence of the committee promises to astonish Oakland itself. It will be awaited with interest.

Members of the committee and friends who have helped so nobly in its drive are invited to be present.

Boy Scouts Plan for Camp Dedication

Weather permitting, the big barbecue and field day of the Boy Scouts of America, for the purpose of dedicating

their new camp at the head of Diamond Canyon will be held next Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

This camp when completed will be the finest scout camp in America and parents and all those who are interested

in scouting are cordially invited to attend this dedication.

The afternoon will be devoted to athletic contests and scout games, both novel and instructive to those who are not familiar with the work.

The camp is located one mile from the end of the Park Boulevard car line paved road all the way. Autos may drive right into the camp itself. For further information, telephone Boy Scout Headquarters, Oakland 637.

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The note of victory is emphasized in the fashions of our first post-war exhibition. There is a gay, triumphant note in the colorings, the martial lines have given away to a charming femininity and a much greater style diversity.

SUITS for every occasion, for street, business, for matinees, afternoon teas and daytime weddings. Suits for the more serious sports wear up to the very smart and frivolous types.

DRESSES—Tailored Dresses of silks and fine suitings especially intended for street wear. Beaded georgettes, draped satins and crisp new taffetas, and combinations of plain and printed materials for afternoon wear. Jersey Dresses in the sport shades. Distinctive dance frocks featuring the taffetas in panner and puffed effects. Also a refreshing return of evening gowns.

WRAPS—Featuring the Cape and Dolman and the loose coat loosely belted. Many exclusive combinations. A plentiful showing of Wraps in the elegant duvet velour, evora, tricolette, bolivia cloth and fine twills.

(Second Floor)

Radiant Millinery

Opening Displays of Model Hats and Adaptations

The newest and loveliest of creations that reveal gracious curves and many fascinations. Hats that represent the foremost modistes of the world.

Great broad-brimmed Hats that the old masters loved and knew so well how to perpetuate on canvas must have inspired many of the charming picture Hats.

Glossy toques with loops of ribbon mounting high, hats with wider brims, a softening touch of georgette in the facing and the spread of a wing on the crown.

Colors seem to have no preference. The variety is sufficient for every taste and there is a price satisfactory to all. Model Hats from the houses of

Gage, Evelyn Varon, Joseph, Fisk, Andrea, Consello, Bruck-Weiss, Cirl Le Vey, Jane Marsh and others.

Capwells
Clay, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Sts.

TIME TABLE EFFECTIVE AUGUST 1, 1917. OF LOCAL FERRY TRAINS FROM OAKLAND AND BERKELEY TO SAN FRANCISCO (DAILY EXCEPT AS NOTED)

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Daily except Sunday. 1 Sunday only. 2 Saturday and Sunday only. Lv. 41st Ave. and East 14th St. 25 minutes earlier than 22nd and Bdwy. 22nd and Bdwy. 7 minutes earlier than 22nd and Bdwy. RETURNING TIME TO SAN FRANCISCO FROM ABOVE STATIONS. 35 MINUTES. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PHONE OAK. 4127.

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This is the Best I Ever Used. This is what Mrs. A. M. Milne, St. George, Utah, says of Chamberlain's Tablets for biliousness and constipation. Get them at the drug store. They only cost a quarter. For sale by Osgood Bros. Drug Co.—Advertisement.

Common Sense Health Talks

BY S. W. BOWER, M. D.

CAN WALK AGAIN AFTER SUFFERING FROM RHEUMATISM

This Illinois Woman Freed Herself from Pain by Using This Blood Builder

It has been said of rheumatism that there are many methods of treatment as there are physicians. This is one way of saying that the disease has baffled the medical fraternity and there is no specific treatment for all kinds of rheumatism. It is known, however, that successful attacks of rheumatism deplete the blood and that it is impossible to drive the disease from the system so long as the blood is deficient in nourishment.

One of the most logical combative methods in cases of rheumatism is the use of a remedy that will restore the missing elements to the blood. Extraordinary results have been achieved in the treatment of rheumatism through this method. The experience of Mrs. Sarah Myers of No. 814 Maple street, Marshall, Ill., is typical of many others and should bring encouragement to those who have sought in vain for relief.

"I suffered my first attack of rheumatism about fifteen years ago," says Mrs. Myers. "Exposure, while I was in the army, and the colds caused the attack, I believe, and I felt miserable. The disease seemed to settle in my hip joints and I had a steady, dull pain across my back. The rheumatism gradually made its way to my knee joints. It was then that my strength seemed to leave me entirely and for months I was unable to walk. I grew very much discouraged for my knees continued to swell and I was stiff and sore."

"I procured a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills after I had tried many other treatments without success. After the first box I noticed that the pains in my back were less severe. Encouraged by this I continued the treatment until the pain and swelling left my knees and I was able to walk again. I have regained my lost strength and it is years since I have felt so well. My knees no longer swell or cause discomfort. I take great pleasure in recommending Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to my friends."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills or they help the blood. When they do this they tone up every nerve in the body. They drive out of the blood the poison that causes rheumatism. They strengthen the stomach and make digestion thorough and comfortable. Write today to Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for the free booklet "Building Up the Blood." Your own druggist will sell them, or you may order by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box or six boxes for \$2.50.—Advertisement.

IF BACK HURTS BEGIN ON SALTS

Flush Your Kidneys Occasionally If You Eat Meat Regularly

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. New's all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and make a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which all regular meat eaters should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.—Advertisement.

Dandruff Soon Ruins the Hair

Girls—if you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't.

It isn't so much good to try to brush or wash it out. The sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring, enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and after or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you have. This simple remedy never fails.—Advertisement.

For Bad Breath

Coated Tongue, Biliousses, Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Bloating, Gas, Constipation, or other result of Indigestion, is remedied more highly recommended than

FOLEY CATHARTIC TABLETS

They cause no griping or nausea. Cleanse the bowels, sweeten the stomach and benefit the liver. Never disappoint.

Mrs. Elizabeth Sloan, 137 So. Main St., So. Norwalk, Conn.: "I can honestly say Foley Cathartic Tablets are wonderful."

Get one by Express Free.—Advertisement.

"INDIGENT" HAS \$24,000 IN BANK

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—Nicholas Mulvaney, now 84 years old, will probably be handed a \$5000 board bill for the twelve years he has been cared for by the city's relief home following the discovery at the home that the aged "indigent" had \$24,000 in savings accounts in local banks.

Mulvaney, a bricklayer, applied for admission to the relief home shortly after the fire in 1905. With him he carried a small bundle which he never allowed out of his sight during his twelve-year stay at the home. Monday he suddenly told a steward to throw the package away. Instead the steward opened it.

In an old envelope yellow with age and bound with a rubber band, the steward discovered four bank books. One showed a commercial deposit of \$10,000 in the Wells-Fargo bank. The three others showed savings accounts amounting to \$14,000 in the Fibberia Savings Union and the San Francisco Savings and Loan Society.

Mulvaney's last relative, a sister, died in 1886 and now he plans, according to Superintendent Charles M. Wollenberg, to leave his money to the home. Guardianship over the aged man's estate will be sought in the superior court by Wollenberg. Mulvaney, Wollenberg plans to charge Mulvaney with a board bill at the rate of \$1 a day for the past twelve years.

TRIBUTES PAID TO CLEVELAND

NEW YORK, March 18.—Army and navy officers of high rank and men distinguished in civil life joined here in paying tribute to the memory of Grover Cleveland on the 32nd anniversary of his birth.

Following memorial services in St. Paul's chapel on lower Broadway, public exercises were held in a theater under the auspices of the Grover Cleveland Association, of which George F. Parker, who was private secretary to President Cleveland, is head.

After Parker had paid his tribute to Cleveland, the man, Judson Hermon, former governor of Ohio and attorney general in the Cleveland cabinet, and Chief City Magistrate William McAdoo, assistant secretary of the navy in Cleveland's second administration, eulogized his qualities as a statesman.

Perhaps the most personal tribute was paid by Major General Leonard Wood, who became intimately acquainted with the former President when, as a young medical officer assigned to Washington, duty often called him to the White House.

Mission Is Coming From Philippines

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—A party of Philippine officials will arrive Friday in San Francisco, where they will start a trip through the United States for the study of commercial and industrial conditions. The group are coming on the transport Sherman, according to word contained in a wireless message received by Mayor James Rolph Jr. yesterday.

Plans are being made for a reception to the commercial mission on its arrival here, which will probably include a tour of inspection of industrial plants of the bay cities.

The mission is comprised of the following: Rafael Palma, secretary of the interior, acting chairman in the absence of Manuel Quezon, Dionisio Jakosalem, secretary of commerce and communication, Philippine senators, Vicente Sison and Pedro Sison. Representatives of the Philippine assembly, Eusebio Alunan, Gregorio Nerva, Manuel Ascadero, Emilio Tria Tirona, Mariano Escudero and Pedro Almaraz, Mauro Prieto and Marcos Itones, George Baebao, dean of the colleges of law of the Philippine University.

30 Days Given to Raise Fine of \$250

James C. Payton, a Southern Montana homesteader, visited here recently, sampled of the wet goods of this city and bought him of the joys of a few "shots" in his own dry land. The temptation was great and he packed eight bottles of Oakland joy in his suitcase.

At Portland these were found, and Payton arrested. He pleaded guilty in the Federal court, stating that he had just recovered from indigestion and needed the whisky for medicine.

After fining the man \$250, the judge learned that he had barely enough money to get back to his home state, and that if he did not get back he would lose the home. He released Payton on parole, to return in thirty days with the money or go to jail.

But, with the consent of all, they confiscated the Oakland whisky.

Candidates to Speak Before Mothers' Club

Candidates for the board of education will be the speakers at the Lockwood School Parent-Teacher Association on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Georgia Spelker, president of the Mothers' Club, is arranging the meeting and will preside as chairman. The Lockwood orchestra will give a program of music. The club invites the public to be guests.

Four Californians on Casualty List

Names of four Californians appear among the casualties announced by the military authorities today. Private Angelo R. Romano, San Francisco, is reported to have died. He was formerly reported missing in action. Those listed as having succumbed to disease are: Private Walter A. Dyckman, Fullerton; Private Albert Albo, Los Banos; Private Angelo Cincotta, San Francisco.

Painter Sues Autoist For \$10,000 Damages

SAN JOSE, March 19.—Suit for \$10,000 damages has been filed against Hugh E. Curran, an automobileist, by Charles W. Cohen, a painter. Cohen alleges that he was at work on a scaffolding when Curran, driving recklessly, swept away the underpinning, causing the plaintiff to fall thirty feet to a pavement. Cohen declares that he was seriously injured.

HUN BODIES USED AS BREASTWORKS

The coolness and courage of Private W. F. McDowell, son of Mrs. Annie McDowell, 1524 Filbert street, saved a raiding party from death during the Argonne Meuse drive, according to letters which have come to The TRIBUNE from a comrade, Private F. F. Collins, 6 Battery, 6 Field Artillery, from Germany. Thirty Oakland men are members of this organization, who are now stationed at Kausback.

McDowell and his raiding party ran into three separate German machine gun nests. For over six hours the men lay on the ground under heavy fire. When darkness fell, the men knowing that it meant death to remain longer, decided to run. McDowell led the dash. One nest was captured. The weapons were turned upon three other sniping machine gun nests and a number of enemy soldiers were killed. Of the wounded and dead Germans the artillerymen made breastworks. The American men escaped with light bullet wounds. McDowell received two German bullets.

Horses and Mules to Be Sold at Auction

The last public auction sale of animals to be held at the Remount depot, Camp Fremont, will commence on March 27, and continue daily from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m., closing on the 29th. Five hundred horses and mules of all types will be sold to the highest bidder. These animals are all good and serviceable, and each buyer will be furnished with a certificate showing that the mules have been given and that they are free from contagious or infectious diseases. A halter will be furnished with each animal.

DANDRUFF MAKES HAIR FALL OUT

A Small Bottle of 'Danderine' Keeps Hair Thick, Strong, Beautiful

Girls! Try This! Doubles Beauty of Your Hair in a Few Moments



Within ten minutes after an application of Danderine you can find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance.

Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine for a few cents at any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any hair—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all—you surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine.—Advertisement.

HEAD STUFFED FROM CATARRH OR A COLD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Opens Air Passages Right Up.

Instant relief—no waiting. Your clogged nostrils open right up; the air passages of your head clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffing, blowing, headache, dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh disappears. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed, swollen mucous membrane and relieves comes instantly.

It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh.—Advertisement.

"A Reliable Cough Medicine. I have given Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to my five children on occasion without number for the past fifteen years. It is the only remedy I could rely upon to cure coughs and colds and for croup it has no equal. The children take it willingly," writes Mrs. C. O. Nesbitt, Vandergrift, Pa. For sale by Osgood Bros. Drug Co.—Advertisement.

KAHN'S
OAKLAND'S LARGEST DEPARTMENT STORE

Visit the New
HAT SHOP—
Right of
Elevator
Second
Floor

Exposition of New
Fashions for Spring
Exclusive Representation for 3 Days
Thursday---Friday---Saturday

The beautiful opening display of Fashions greet the Spring in a new mood; and a new Spring, unrestricted and unrestrained, receives them with adulation. Beginning tomorrow in a setting of Springtime loveliness, the Spring panorama of dress unfolds to the view of an eagerly expectant host of women.

Resplendent Models in the New
Capes and Dolmans

With their soft folds the Capes and Dolmans are very charming for Spring wraps. They are of such soft wool fabrics that give warmth without weight. Beautifully lined with plain and fancy silks.

\$29.50 \$35 to \$65

The Smartness in
Suits

All the precision and elegance of custom tailoring, combined with many fascinating graces give Kahn's suits a pre-eminence in style and quality.

Fashion's Choice of
Dresses

The definite quality of elegance, revealed in Kahn's dress fashions is brought by an artistry that appreciates simplicity of line, harmony of color scheme and refinement.

\$25 \$35 \$23.50 \$27.50 \$45 \$35

Kahn's Garment Section—Second Floor

A Complete Style Exhibit of
Fashionable Spring Footwear

Fashions play a most important part in the selection of just the right shoe you will wear. For change in styles is so decidedly different from those in vogue during the past few years that the style of the shoe will make or mar the effectiveness of your Spring outfit. See Kahn's new shoes in harmonized Spring styles to suit the new modes of fashionable wear.

Red Cross Shoes Shoe Section 2nd Floor Educator Shoes

The Artistry of Fashion is Joyously Reflected in Our
Hats of Real Style Distinction

They express the spirit of joy which dominates the Spring of 1919. Designers are indulging in the wildest of beautiful caprices in creating radical but picturesque modes from gorgeous plumage, flowers, fabrics and braids. Our display is a brilliant and magnificent assemblage of New York milliners' most clever creations—augmented by distinctive copies and adaptations created by our own milliners.

Priced at—
\$4.95 \$7.50 \$9.50

New Hat Section 2nd Floor.

Fascinating New Silks

Milady will wear silks again this Spring and why shouldn't she when such beautiful silks are spread before her—and only such silks as will be found in our popular and moderately priced department. The lines are complete, the colors gorgeous and materials too varied for description. A few of them we tell you of here.

—PRINTED GEORGETTE CREPES—Colors too beautiful for words—patterns new and varied—quality is high grade—they're the newest materials and, when made up in combination with plain Satins or Silks, result in frocks little short of amazing—**\$3.00**

—THE PLAIN GEORGETTES—in hundred beautiful shades; 40 inches wide; priced at—**\$2.00**

—PRINTED CREPE DE CHINESE—These, too, are new striking color combinations and new designs; a yard—**\$2.75**

—BARONETTE SATINS—(The Genuine Baronette)—10 in. wide, beautiful colors, new designs in brocades, Jacquard figures, stripes and plain colors. The most popular materials for sports wear—comes in shades of cream, silver, gray, old rose, pink, sand, tan, taupe, African brown, Copen, Belgium, navy, etc.—they're priced at—**\$4.95**

—OYSTER WHITE PONGEE SILKS—**\$1.50 TO \$2.50**

—CREPE METEOR—Handsome colors—**\$3.00**

—FOULARD SILKS—Many designs—**\$2.00 AND \$2.50**

—NEW VESTINGS—Metal Brocades and—**\$2 TO \$8.50**

Fancy Silks, yard

—NEW VELVETS, for the new "Dolman Capes" and Coats—they're in black, brown, navy, taupe, Bordeaux, prune, laurel, burgundy, etc., etc.

They're irresistible—
Silk Underthings

For Milady to Wear This Spring.

—Among the most attractive are sleeping garments. The little Burke One-piece Pajamas and the loose flowing straight night robe.

—Then comes the Princess Bloomer Combinations and Envelope Chemise—the latest novelties in Canary Step-in Bloomers; Drawers for dress-up—Each garment has its distinctive type and exquisite materials and superb colorings; adorned with demurest laces and ribbons—and many with the prettiest feminine touches of delicate colored hand-embroideries.

—SILK BLOOMERS of Satin, Crepe de Chine and Jersey—they're from—**\$2.45 to \$7.50**

—ENVELOPE CHEMISE—**\$2.95 to \$6.50**

—GOWNS AND BILLIE BURKES—**\$5.50 to \$12.50**

—Silk, Satin and Crepe de Chine Camisoles and Bodices—**98c to \$3.50**

Underwear Section—2nd Floor.

Spring's Newest in
Buttons, Braids, Laces and Trimmings

BIG AUTO MEN OF COAST ATTEND SHOW

DEALERS FIND MANY BUYERS FOR NEW CARS

By JIM HOUHLIAN.

In spite of bad weather, the attendance last night at the automobile show was very good. While not as large as the opening evening the throngs which did go were an enthusiastic class and the motor car men who are stationed in the various booths were just as busily employed as on Monday.

As the affair progresses there is more in evidence the prospective automobile buyer. While the first day saw some deals concluded, and additional ones yesterday, there was a larger proportionate number culminated this afternoon. During the afternoon the attendance has been small compared with evenings but those who do come are businesslike and the automobile man profits thereby.

Last night saw in evidence many of the San Francisco and Los Angeles distributors. Among the big names in the Pacific Coast automobile world who have already visited the exposition were Don Lee, Cadillac distributor; Earle C. Anthony, Packard and Reo distributor who came up from Los Angeles to see Oakland's display; Leon T. Shorter, general manager of the Anthony organization; L. D. Allen, president of the California Motor Sales Co.; G. A. Boyer, president of the Franklin Motor Car Co.; Bert Latham of Latham Davis Co.; Lou H. Rose, Chalmers distributor; Fred J. Lutz of the P. J. Lutz Motor Co., National and Liberty representatives; Chester N. Weaver, president of the San Francisco Motor Car Dealers' Association is expected tonight with another delegation of motor car enthusiasts from across the bay.

The Chalmers "Drive-Away" staged yesterday, beginning with a motor parade through the principal thoroughfares was a much talked of event. It is the first time in two years such a stunt has been staged and it was the biggest of its kind to come from all parts of Northern California, who had been guests of Lou H. Rose at a conference in San Francisco, wound up their little surprise by attending the automobile show in a body.

Selections are experiencing the pleasure of closing up this week many deals that have been hanging fire. This is true particularly with the Harrison organization. The various forces, handling Buick, Dodge and Essex are piling up a nice quantity of business that had been hanging fire until the show opening. This condition is also true of the Weaver-Wells Co. Studebaker force. Sales that were in the making, but not closed, for the last ten days, have been concluded since Monday.

Man, Horsemipped, Divorced by Wife

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—The reconciliation of Mrs. Rose Bordston and Walter R. Bordston, automobile dealer, following a horsemipping administered to Bordston by his wife at an automobile show in the Civic Auditorium three years ago has failed to endure, and Mrs. Bordston was yesterday granted a divorce by Judge Davis.

Desert Road Race to Be Run in Fall

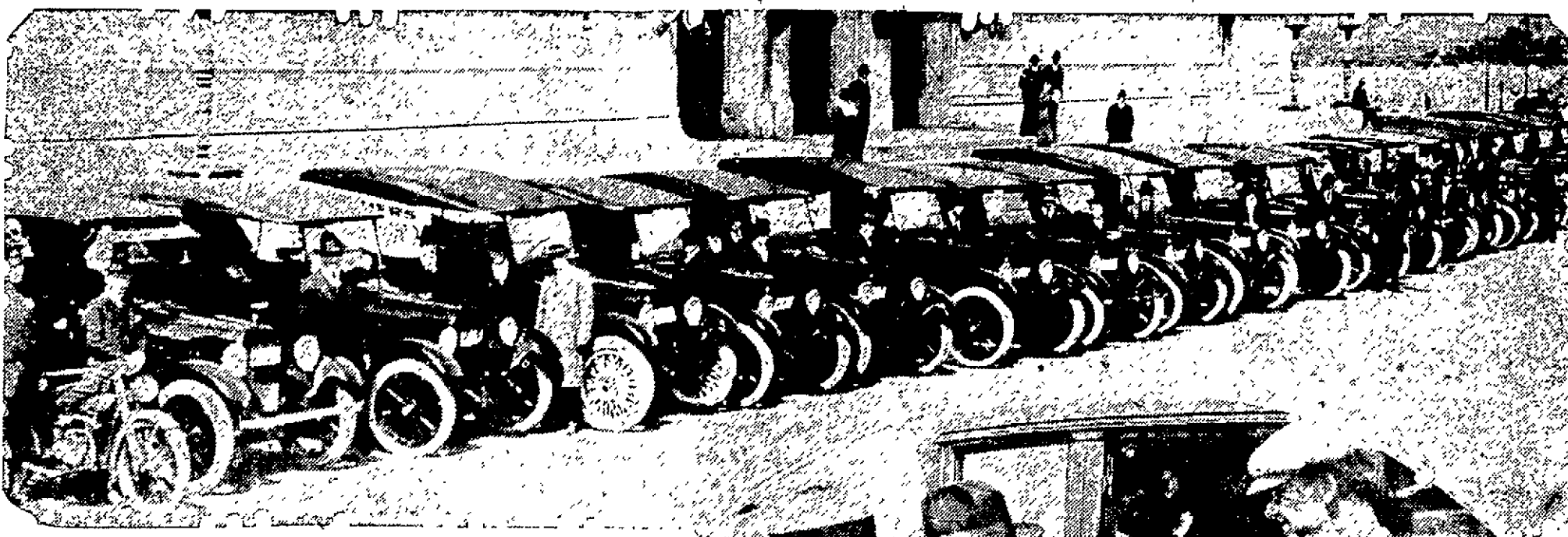
PHOENIX, Ariz., March 19.—Festival of the Los Angeles to Phoenix desert road race—once a classic in western motor circles is planned for November, officials of the Arizona State Fair announced today. They plan to offer a \$10,000 purse and may extend the event from Phoenix to El Paso.

The distinguished service rendered by the Cadillac in France is paralleled, in less heroic environment, by the every day experience of Cadillac owners

DON LEE

2265 Broadway

Line-up of Chalmers cars in the big "driveaway" which was participated in by Northern California Chalmers dealers at the end of an impromptu parade staged in Oakland; they attended the Automobile Show in a body. The picture below shows three of the California Chalmers chiefs: GEORGE PEARSON (left), factory representative; Oakland branch manager, J. L. BRAMBILA (center) and LOU H. ROSE.



CHANGE MADE IN OIL DRILL BILL

SACRAMENTO, March 19.—Provisions in the Hudson oil drilling regulation bill which would give the district oil commissioners elected by the companies authority to recall the state oil and gas supervisor, were withdrawn at a meeting of the Senate oil industries committee yesterday.

The meeting, at which Archibald Johnson, San Francisco attorney, representing the oil supervisor, urged passage of the Thompson bill to abolish the district oil commissioners, was declared adjourned by Senator Thompson when a question of veracity developed between Johnson and G. M. Swindell, representing the Chamber of Mines and Oil of Los Angeles.

Johnson had said the big companies were not opposing the Thompson bill and that the companies violating rules designed to prevent infiltration of water into the oil fields were chiefly small companies who wanted to get the heavy initial production at any cost.

"At the last hearing," said Swindell, "you told the committee the big companies controlled the district commissioners, to which appeals are taken from rulings of the state oil supervisor. If you admit the big companies are anxious to have proper regulation and that they control the commissions, why then do you propose to do away with the commissions?"

Johnson replied that the Chamber of Mines and Oil had controlled the election of commissions through the use of proxies.

"That is a deliberate misstatement," said Swindell.

While Johnson was making a heated reply, Senator Thompson adjourned the meeting. The committee, it is expected, will dispose of the two bills at a meeting Thursday morning.

Raising School Age Limit Is Approved

SACRAMENTO, March 19.—The assembly education committee favorably reported today a bill to raise the compulsory education age limit from 15 to 16 years and a bill to make Whittier State School for boys a "directional school" for training normal boys and leave the Preston School of Industry as a correctional school for boys with evil tendencies.

The Senate judiciary committee reported an agreement to refer to a subcommittee for revision of the Thompson bill to equalize the rights of the wife with those of the husband to community property.

Women Conductors Will Go Back to Work

WASHINGTON, March 19.—Women street car conductors of the Cleveland, Ohio, Railway Company who were discharged March 1 must be restored to their work under a decision of the War Labor Board made by Joint Chalmers Taft and Nixley.

DEMOCRATS FACE SPLIT IN PARTY

WASHINGTON, March 19.—The controversy over the League of Nations threatens to create a schism in the ranks of the Democrats more in reaching and permanent than the schism that destroyed the party strength of the Republicans a few years ago. More than once in the last Congress Speaker Clark asserted his independence of the executive whip, and he has come out again as openly opposed to the President's stand on the league of nations.

The Democrats of the next House are rapidly forming themselves into two camps—those that follow blindly the lead of the President and those who take an independent stand. Men of the latter group are rallying behind Clark, while the others, terming themselves "insurrectionists," are being organized by Congressman May of Utah.

The fact that Clark, under all rules of precedence, will be the floor leader of his party in the House adds strength to the anti-league faction. Whether he is chosen minority leader or not will command a personal following that will make it exceedingly embarrassing for any other individual who attempts to wrest the party control from the former speaker.

The opponents of Mr. Clark base their criticism on a remark he is alleged to have made to a group of Democratic congressmen: "Wilson's league of nations has as much chance of being ratified as you have of being elected to the White House."

Swelling with righteous indignation the Wilson Democrats of the House declare that they "cannot afford by their votes to approve sarcastic antagonism to the league of nations."



Undertaker Graft Defendant on Trial

SEATTLE, March 19.—G. M. Butterworth, manager of L. R. Butterworth & Sons, funeral directors, is on trial in the federal court here today charged on 47 counts with having used the mails to defraud relatives of sailors and marines who died in the service of the thirtieth naval district.

According to the indictment, Butterworth also is accused of having made false claims to the government for services rendered. It is alleged by the government that Butterworth's company had a contract with the government to furnish a metallic coffin and perform all necessary funeral services for \$100 each. It is charged he obtained additional sums from relatives for services he was expected to perform under his contract.

Hayes Is Installed New York Archbishop

NEW YORK, March 19.—Prominent dignitaries of the Roman Catholic church assembled here today to witness the installation of the Most Rev. Patrick Joseph Hayes, as archbishop of New York in St. Patrick's cathedral this afternoon. Archbishop Giovanni Donraro of Washington, the apostolic delegate to the United States, represented Pope Benedict.

DIVORCE REVEALS WEDDING. ANITA, Iowa—secret marriages will out. Lovell B. Hadley knows it today. He was married in 1916, and his wife still be a secret had not his wife filed for divorce today. Non-support is charged.

Ousting Japanese Capitalists Denied

TOKYO, March 19. (By The Associated Press)—Premier Hara took occasion to deny rumors in circulation that the visit to China of John J. Abbott, vice president of the Continental & Commercial Trust & Savings Bank of Chicago, was designed to oust Japanese capitalists from China. The Premier said that rumors to this effect were absolutely untrue.

CARS SHOWN IN GREENERY AND FLOWERS

The Franklin display is complete in every respect. Manager Ben Hammond has arranged his cars artistically in a setting of flowers and greenery. There are open and closed models and all the models made by the Franklin Company. Hammond has been a busy man ever since the show opened, taking orders, explaining the air cooling system of the Franklin and securing many prospects.

OIL MEN HOLD WAGE CONFERENCE

BAKERSFIELD, March 19.—Delegates from fourteen locals of the California Oil, Gas and Refinery Workers' Union continued in session at the Labor Temple here in their wage conference. They will present a report of conclusions reached to the Federal Oil Inspection Board. No definite action has been determined to date, it was announced by the press committee. The session will reopen today.

Discussions of the advisory delegates are being conducted behind closed doors. The objections to the recent ruling of the oil board are being thoroughly discussed and opinions expressed. There is still a large amount of work to be done by the delegates.

There are about forty delegates in attendance. They represent Bakersfield, Kern River, Lost Hills, Coalinga, Erea, Whittier, Martinez, Redondo, Los Angeles, Fullerton, Palmdale, Maricopa, McKittrick, Taft and Santa Maria.

Officials present include R. E. Evans, president of the International Oil Workers, from headquarters at Fort Worth, Tex., and Lee Scott, vice-president of the International Oil Workers.

Models Are Shown to Best Advantage

C. D. Rand, Mercer and Jordan distributor, has arranged his cars so that all the models show to the best advantage. There are the famous Mercer speedster models and the Jordan open and closed cars. The display is complete and the salesmen have taken several orders, so far.

'MOTORCADE' CHEERED BY HUGE CROWDS

The climax of a three-day dealers' convention was reached at the auto show yesterday when twenty-five Chalmers agents from all parts of Northern California visited the show in a body and drove twenty-five Chalmers cars away with them to their homes.

The great motorcade formed in front of the Lou H. Rose Company's headquarters in San Francisco in the morning and then traversed the principal streets of the city and then embarked on the Creek Route ferry for Oakland. The cars formed at First and Broadway and paraded out Broadway to Piedmont avenue and then returned through the city to the Auditorium, where the dealers attended the show in a body.

This Chalmers driveaway was by far the largest ever held on this side of the bay and the greatest number of cars ever sent to the dealers in one batch. Men came here from all parts of Northern California, secured their cars, and drove them home. For three days Chalmers dealers were in convention in San Francisco. Sunday the men arrived and were entertained by Rose and his staff. Monday was given over to business meetings. At the Palace hotel in the evening the men took dinner with "Smiling" Lou Rose as host and then attended the theater in a body.

At the dinner Rose explained the policy of his company in regard to the distribution of motor cars, told the dealers that he stood ready to back them up in anything they could do to increase business and was assured of the hearty co-operation of the whole organization.

The Chalmers motorcade was greeted by crowds on both sides of the bay. People lined the streets for blocks and cheered the parade. Rose has made it a point to call his dealers together every so often so that the whole organization has a chance to work together. He insists on a spirit of co-operation among his men and agents and the increased business done in the last few months proves that this system is right.

The dealers voted the Oakland show a huge success and remained in the Auditorium most of the afternoon looking over the cars and accessories and then departed with their cars for their homes.

The whole organization declared the show and the Chalmers convention a huge success.

See the Dort Exhibit at the Motor Show

DORT

The Quality Goes Clear Through

- ☞ The war period just passed has given to the Dort new and greater prestige.
- ☞ The lesson people have learned as to the value of thrift and conservation has awakened within them a deepened respect for the Dort.
- ☞ They have always held it in high regard as a smooth-running, competent motor car.
- ☞ They have prized it for its driving ease and riding comfort.
- ☞ Now they are quickened to an intense appreciation of the solid virtues that characterize it—its economy, its reliability, its faithful performance.
- ☞ They are conscious, as never before, of how really good a car it is.
- ☞ They perceive more sharply than ever how desirable a car it is to own.
- ☞ At the Dort exhibit you will find a full line of the various models.
- ☞ We urge upon you the importance of setting aside sufficient time while there to become acquainted in detail with these cars.
- ☞ They are fine examples of able engineering practice and sound, careful construction.
- ☞ They will impress you as worthy automobile investments.

PRICES

Fourseason Cars
Sedan\$1550
Coupe\$1550
Open Cars
Touring\$1095
Prices Here.
Wire wheels and spare tires extra.

We have an attractive proposition for several sub dealers throughout Alameda County, and also for the city of Richmond

MITCHELL-DORT MOTOR CO.

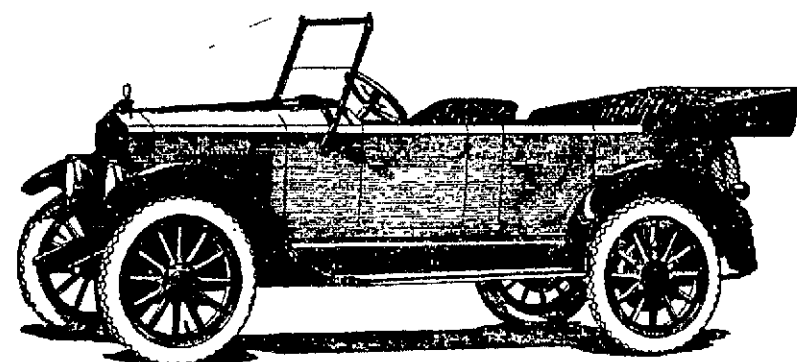
CARL CHRISTENSEN, Manager

1728 Broadway

Lakeside 4984

DORT MOTOR CAR COMPANY

Flint, Michigan.



All Praise the Essex—\$1,395

A New Car That Men Have Long Wanted

Thousands Ride In It—Will You?

Note what all are saying about the Essex.

In hundreds of cities it has awakened a greater motor car interest than anyone has seen in years.

More than a hundred thousand have ridden in the Essex. Ten times as many have seen it.

The qualities in the Essex which appeal most are those very qualities that are most attractive in the light, cheap car, and those of the large, costly one. They are comfort, riding ease, endurance, and elegance at a moderate cost for purchase and operation.

Every Essex Sales Room Now Holds Motordom's Interest

People instantly admire Essex beauty. They speak of the detail and care with which it is finished. They note its lines and talk of features that have been exclusive to costly cars. They are enthusiastic over its riding qualities as shown over rough roads and worn-out pavements. The Essex does not pitch its passengers about. It remains rigid and firm and free from rattles and squeaks no matter how rough the service. There is no need to drive miles out of the way

to avoid a rough stretch of road. It goes over the worst roads like a big, costly car.

The Essex is demonstrated on the same steep hills that are used to prove climbing ability by high-powered and costly cars. Speed is shown over the same course that fast cars are demonstrated. Its acceleration is compared to the few cars noted for such performance.

Buyers Being Placed

On Waiting List

Dealers have already booked orders for more cars than they are scheduled to receive before midsummer.

It is doubtful if anyone will be able to get an Essex as promptly as he may want it. But by ordering now the delay won't be quite so long.



The Only New Car at the Show—See It

H. O. HARRISON CO.

2800 BROADWAY, OAKLAND

Lakeside 2790

2352 SHATTUCK AVE., BERKELEY. Berkeley 2798

SHOW MECCA FORTHUSANDS OF AUTO FANS

The automobile show has proved itself to be a powerful loudstone to prospective buyers of cars, and the municipal auditorium, in which the exposition of all that is latest in automobiles and their accessories is being made, was the mecca yesterday of several thousand persons.

The evening, particularly attractive to the crowds, according to the experience of the past two days, and tonight, the third night of the show, is expected to bring out a record attendance.

Everything in the way of automobiles is on exhibition and not a few accessory concerns have attractive displays. The acid test of success in the business world—results—being applied to the show and not without a great degree of satisfaction to some of the dealers who already have registered a number of orders and gained the names of many prospective buyers.

SHOWS ACCOMPLISHMENT.
But automobile shows are not organized as a direct means of selling cars, according to a prominent dealer exhibiting at the auditorium show. He said:

"The automobile show year after year, is the mile stone of accomplishment in the world of automobiles just as the country fair is an exposition of progress in agriculture. We do not want to sell cars to people who come to the show. Automobile dealers are just as interested as anyone else and being proud of our work naturally we are more than glad to tell people about our cars."

And so it was at the Auditorium last night. Evidently the dealers explained the fine technique of the automobile to the uninitiated.

The hardest worked attendant at any of the displays, according to Frank Sanford of the Buick agency, is Frank Mick also of the Buick company. Mick's job is to explain the functions of a hundred or so Buick parts. When a Chinese, who spoke little English and understood less came along with an intense interest in the Buick, Mick was in his glory. This was a job worthy his best efforts. His friends, however, nudged each other and winked. They thought, and therefore were willing to bet, that here was the one time in a thousand that Mick would lose patience.

CHINESE BUYS CAR.
It was like dropping a bombshell into that group of dealers when the Chinese after a long and careful explanation by Mick pulled out some thing like \$1700 in cold cash and left the exhibit the owner of a brand new Buick car.

H. Whitaker of the Chalmers agency, exhibiting at the show, which is a good one on one of Oakland's most prominent citizens. According to his competitors he tells the story on himself, mostly as the result of self defense and to hold inoperative a prospective customer.

Whitaker had not had the good fortune to have previously met the prominent citizen who, incidentally, owns several cars. According to his story, a nice kindly gentleman who looked like a retired minister or judge came along and became interested in the Chalmers. Whitaker thought that car was sold from the way the nice kindly gentleman spoke. Finally, thinking Whitaker for his information, he stayed along and another car, but before he left he gave his name to Whitaker. With not a little satisfaction Whitaker showed the name to some of his colleagues. It was that of H. H. Wonders.

WONDERS AT GRIN.
Whitaker is still wondering why his friends grinned.

The Ford agency was a popular place. Where no these \$300 Fords, which Henry said recently in Los Angeles he was going to manufacture "E. C. Dick, one of the Alameda Ford men, was asked last night:

"I suppose you don't believe that Mr. Ford could get out a car at that price," replied Dick. "Now listen, continued Dick, 'if Mr. Ford said he could get out a car made of solid gold and jeweled with diamonds he would come mighty close to doing it."

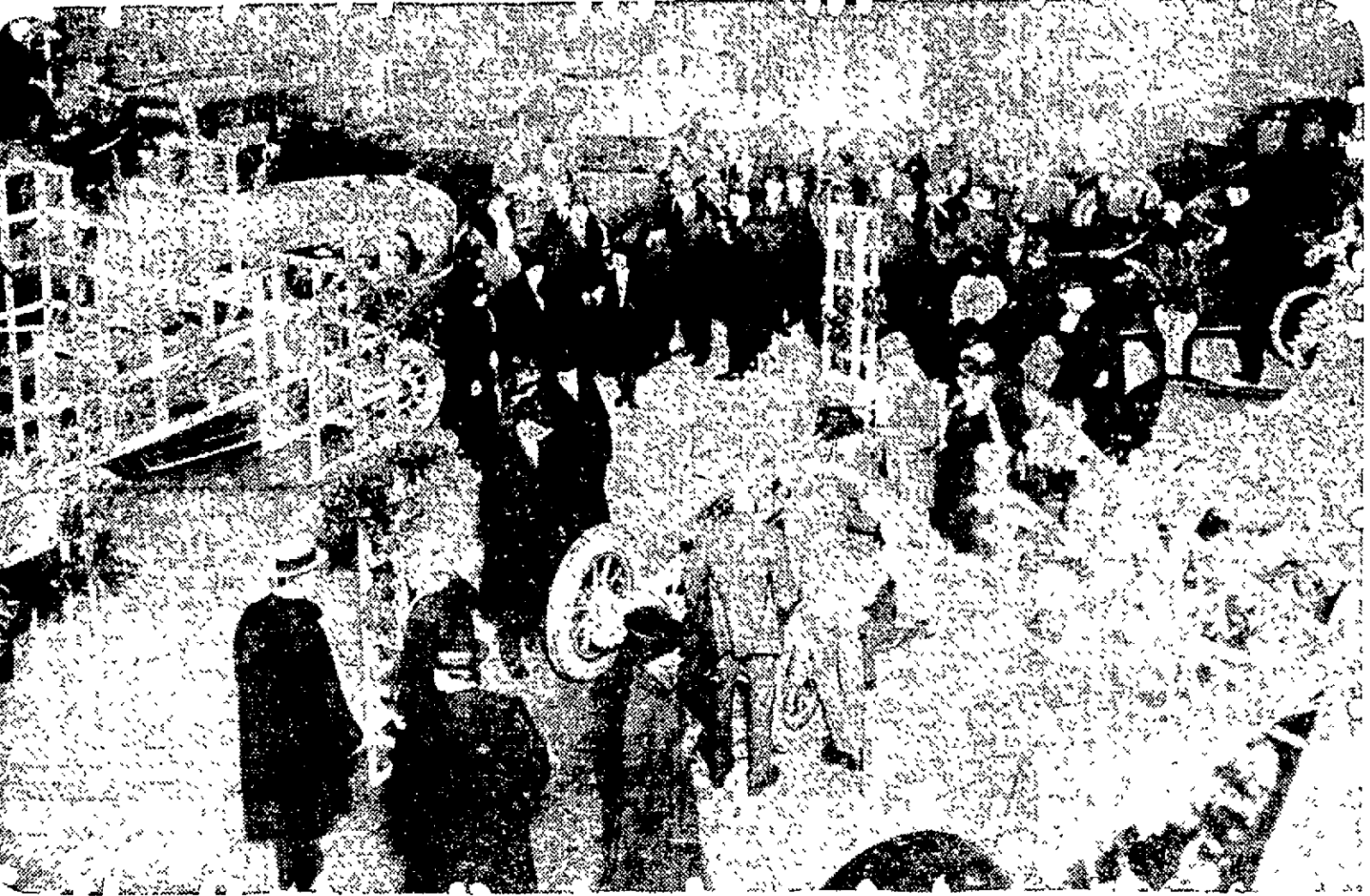
After this statement Dick talked about the new self-starting device in the closed models of the Ford machine as though it was a baby with whose every little kinkly hair he had a perfect acquaintance.

In all, the show is a splendid education for the man who owns and knows cars and a visit to the show for the man or woman who only hopes some indefinite day to own a car as a fascinating experience.

Every make of car is on exhibition and one does not need gift edged references to sit in any one of them for a few minutes and imagine he owns it.

Besides the automobiles there is one of the best orchestras that has

A view showing Tuesday night's big crowd at the Oakland Automobile Show. The exhibits appearing in the immediate foreground are the National and Liberty displays, on the left; the Oakland Six booth, right, and just below the Oakland exhibit on the right, a partial scene in Don Lee's big Cadillac showing.



MRS. ROGERS DECLARES SHE FOUGHT I.W.W.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—According to the testimony of Mrs. Alice F. Rogers, also known to Oaklanders as Robie, accused with three other officials of the National Defense League of California, of having diverted its funds, she was the prime mover in the suppression of I. W. W. terrorism in southern California.

This testimony brought a smile to the faces of John W. Preston, special assistant to attorney general, and U. S. Marshal James B. Holman, who sat in Judge Dooling's court listening to the direct examination of Mrs. Rogers as being a woman prominently identified with all of the government investigations of the I. W. W. cases in California.

Testifying as to the activities of the Farmers' Loyalist Council, a subsidiary organization of the National Defense League of California in the south, Attorney Edgar P. Prescott asked:

"And it was the National Defense League, under your management, that was generally suppressing it, referring to the I. W. W. investigation."

Mrs. Rogers said: "Through the Farmers' Loyalist Council, and they

been heard in the auditorium in many days.

The show is open from 10 o'clock in the morning to 10 o'clock at night. It will close Saturday night at 10 o'clock.

Cadillacs Exhibit Is Most Artistic
Don Lee's exhibit of Cadillacs is done in the usual complete and artistic style. There are open and closed Cadillacs, touring cars, and limousines and a place to sit down when you get tired of walking around the show.

The Cabriolet

The Hudson Super-Six Guides Motor Fashions

Hudson Design Always Anticipates the Trend of Automobile Body Construction

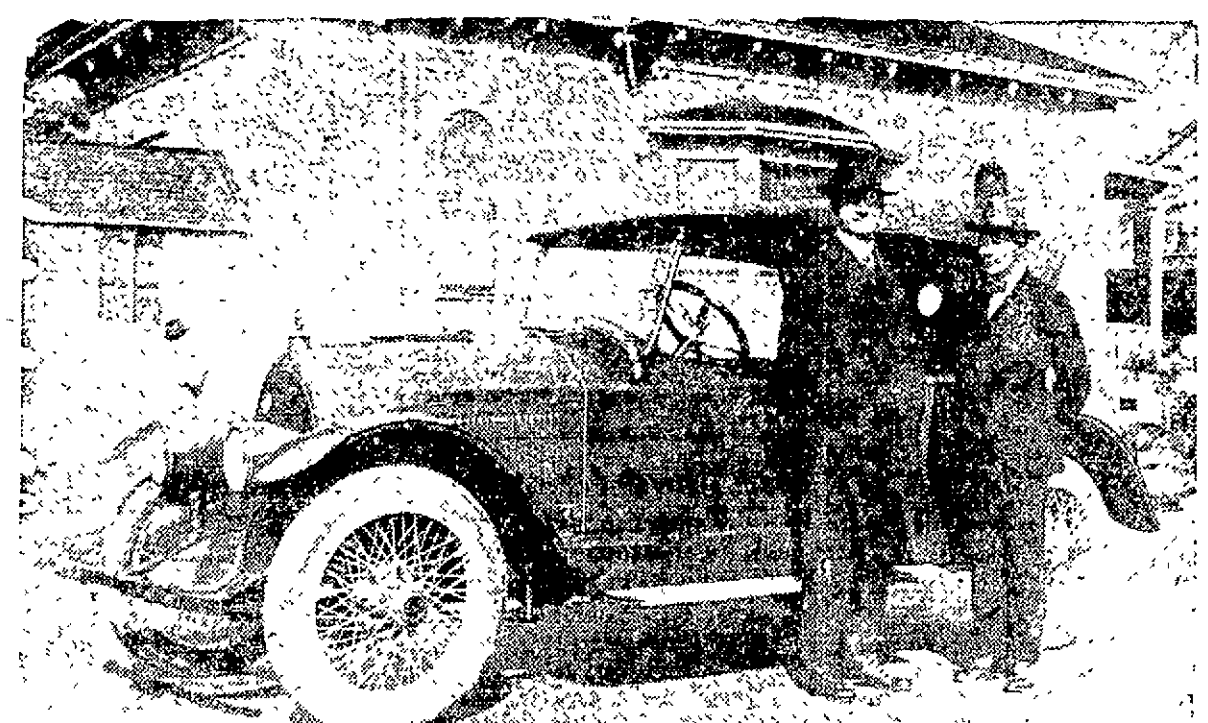
Hudson Super-Six closed cars have won general recognition as the pattern cars for American body designers. They are always a season or more ahead of the current styles. Their influence is invariably shown in subsequent models of other manufacturers.

It is natural that this should be the case. Each Hudson is the product of highly skilled engineers working in perfect harmony with artists and designers who head their profession. They know that from a mechanical viewpoint the Hudson Super-Six is worthy of the best possible setting.

They have built into the Hudson Super-Six a subtle air of refinement and distinction that makes it the natural selection of the discriminating. Owners of Hudson closed cars have shown as good taste in their choice of a car as in the selection of furnishings for their drawing room.

See Our Exhibit at the Auto Show

H. O. HARRISON CO.
2800 BROADWAY, OAKLAND Lakeside 2790
2352 Shattuck Avenue, Berkeley—Berkeley 2798



One of the custom built new Kissels which was seen in Oakland for the first time yesterday and which will be on display at the Automobile Show for the remainder of the week. One of the notable features of it is the extreme width of the doors. The front seats are adjustable.

MYSTERY PLANES HOVERING OVER KAISER'S REFUGE

AMERONGEN, March 18.—(By The Associated Press.)—Considerable excitement was created at Amerongen Castle, where former Emperor William is staying, when six airplanes appeared suddenly at noon from behind a bank of clouds. They came from the east and after entering the castle twice, disappeared in a northerly direction.

The nationality of the machines could not be distinguished but it is generally assumed they were Dutch.

HERD CATTLE BY AUTO.
OMAHA, Neb.—Honk, honk, Nebraska farmers have found new use for their cars. The other morning one herded fourteen cattle to market in his auto using the horn as a speed incentive.

Draft Board Will Sell Equipment
According to instructions received from the War Department local draft board No. 7 will dispose of all government property in its possession on the 27th inst. at 10 a. m. This will be done by accepting sealed bids up to this hour. Property may be inspected at the office of the board at 730 E. Fourteenth street, Oakland, any time between 2 and 4 p. m.

FREE TELEPHONES
Comfortable Chairs
For Your Convenience at the

CHALMERS
Auto Show Exhibit

You are most cordially invited to, make the Chalmers exhibit your headquarters while at the Auto Show.

The qualities of the Chalmers cars are too well-known to need comment here.

Fourteen records proving the power and performance of this car are held by Chalmers. Ask about them.

LOU H. ROSE CO.
Chalmers Distributors
2841 Broadway, Oakland.
1230 Van Ness Ave., San Francisco

Furniture from the salesrooms of the Pacific Coast Rattan Co., Oakland

Tire Filler, Not Bologna Sausage Camp Equipment Is Auto Side-Line

One of the most colorful things on display in the big auditorium at the automobile show was a bright green Maxwell touring car. Wide white diagonal stripes across the panels of the door of these canvas contrivances can be seen resting on the running board of the automobile while a ten flap covers it, running from its one side to the auto top. Then there is the tent which can be spread out, and allows enough room within to give it all the cosiness of a small room with beds and couches. Collapsible tables and chairs are also shown for the picnickers. All of these canvas contrivances can be stored in the machine in very compact form, so as to require very little room.

One may obtain the nth degree of joy out of his motor trip by means of the various kinds of tent and bed equipment which various manufacturers are displaying. There is the bed which has one side resting on the running board of the automobile while a ten flap covers it, running from its one side to the auto top. Then there is the tent which can be spread out, and allows enough room within to give it all the cosiness of a small room with beds and couches. Collapsible tables and chairs are also shown for the picnickers. All of these canvas contrivances can be stored in the machine in very compact form, so as to require very little room.

Motion pictures, offered in the theater of the auditorium last night afforded both instruction and entertainment to the auto show visitors. The Lodge people showed a Dodge trip through Death valley, while the Cadillac gave pic-

tures of a trip through Yosemite valley. In addition to the feats of traveling by automobile in unusual places, which these pictures showed, there was the added interest of beautiful scenery. Other pictures are to be shown in the theater during the show.

The many contrivances that were shown in the booths in the foyer were almost past numbering. They include polish, tires, tire patchings, camp auto locks, tire fillers, spark plugs, read maps and many other articles.

One would hardly suppose a connection between automobiles and pianos, yet there is an enterprising music firm that has a booth where their pianos are on display. These are the Solos, pianos which have a booth in the foyer. The crowd appreciates their music, too.

The little girl whose mother had her by the hand, was crying. She was hungry and she wanted a piece of the bologna sausage. The crowd laughed and the girl hid her face in her mother's skirts, confused. What she had mistaken for bologna sausage was merely a display of tire filler.

The Three-Leaf Cot Manufacturing Company of Sonoma and the Van Soest Manufacturing Company of Stockton have booths in which many novelties in tents, beds and other canvas equipment are shown. Complete canvas costumes to match the car and stripe of the tent, and to be worn by autoists while roughing it, are among these novelties.

The Silver Special, a yellow Kissel roadster with a side seat on the outside of the tonneau, flashed a new note and made a hit.

A rich green tapestry with which a Lexington touring car was upholstered came in for much praise. The work had all been done in Oakland.

An unusual amount of interest was shown by the crowds in the machinery parts on display, especially such parts of machinery as were shown in operation. Stripped valves also came in for interest. A Buick valve head and several other parts of Buick machinery were shown and demonstrated by Frank Sanford and a corps of assistants. The valve head, which was shown in operation, is of the "Liberty" type and is said to be the same as is used in the "Liberty" airplane engines.

A blue Packard brougham proved both hard-bone and stunning. A vanity case built into the woodwork inside came in for notice. A white roadster and a coral limousine with plush upholstery were also among the Packard displays.

The great trucks of various kinds, the Studebaker, the Haynes, the Republic, the Federal, the Packard, the Geo and other types were all shown in the foyer and formed a more than interesting display.

WHISKERS BLOWN OFF.
LONG BEACH, Cal.—Last night's wind did \$10 damage. It blew off the whiskers worn by Ed Wehn of the Stinson amateur club, and they were fined \$5 each for disturbing the peace.

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OPPORTUNITY KNOCKING AT OAKLAND DOOR

More people are coming to California from other states this spring than at any time for many years, according to local business men who have lately visited all parts of the state. Hotel and apartment houses are reported filled to overflowing in all of the larger cities and towns of California.

"There appears to be a renewed interest among residents of other states in the opportunities we have to offer," said George E. Morrill, a local attorney, who has talked with several travelers lately.

"Such a condition augurs well for future development in this state," said Morrill, "and I firmly believe that a greater prosperity for California is in store, as many of the strangers that are coming here intend to remain permanently."

Inquiries for residence and business property are increasing, according to local real estate men. Many letters are also being received by the Chamber of Commerce from business men in other parts of the country, who are seeking information concerning Oakland and its opportunities. Also, many inquiries from firms in other countries that are anxious to establish local trade connections are being received by that body.

Speaking of foreign trade possibilities, a local business man said today:

"Opportunity is knocking at the door of Oakland now, and if the people of this city don't bestir themselves they may lose the finest chance they have ever had to establish a big sea trade. To take advantage of this unusual opportunity we must develop our waterfront. We must have deep water channels, piers, docks and warehouses, where big ocean-going vessels can land and discharge their cargoes. Factories and shipping facilities must be brought closer together at a central point and that point must be where rail and water transportation meet."

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OPPORTUNITY KNOCKING AT OAKLAND DOOR

More people are coming to California from other states this spring than at any time for many years, according to local business men who have lately visited all parts of the state. Hotel and apartment houses are reported filled to overflowing in all of the larger cities and towns of California.

"There appears to be a renewed interest among residents of other states in the opportunities we have to offer," said George E. Morrill, a local attorney, who has talked with several travelers lately.

"Such a condition augurs well for future development in this state," said Morrill, "and I firmly believe that a greater prosperity for California is in store, as many of the strangers that are coming here intend to remain permanently."

Inquiries for residence and business property are increasing, according to local real estate men. Many letters are also being received by the Chamber of Commerce from business men in other parts of the country, who are seeking information concerning Oakland and its opportunities. Also, many inquiries from firms in other countries that are anxious to establish local trade connections are being received by that body.

Speaking of foreign trade possibilities, a local business man said today:

"Opportunity is knocking at the door of Oakland now, and if the people of this city don't bestir themselves they may lose the finest chance they have ever had to establish a big sea trade. To take advantage of this unusual opportunity we must develop our waterfront. We must have deep water channels, piers, docks and warehouses, where big ocean-going vessels can land and discharge their cargoes. Factories and shipping facilities must be brought closer together at a central point and that point must be where rail and water transportation meet."

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Ten-Minute Kiss Is Alleged Cruelty
A ten-minute kiss is assigned as grounds for divorce in the complaint of Mrs. Ruth A. Hodge against Harold S. Hodge of Oakland. This in spite of the fact that the plaintiff was the one kissed. She assigned the kiss as

cruelty. She further said that she married her husband under the impression that he was earning more money than proved to be the case, alleging his misrepresentation in this respect as fraud. A. Van Kirk complained that his wife, Lauretta B. Van Kirk, prevented him from completing his education and expressed the wish that he had never met her, according to her complaint for divorce.



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AMEND TERMS TO HASTEN U.S. TROOP RETURN

PARIS, March 18.—(By the Associated Press)—The military terms of the treaty of peace have been amended by the elimination of the clause providing for the control of Germany's armament for an indefinite period.

Admiral W. S. Benson of the United States navy pointed out that the original terms committed the United States virtually to an indefinite occupation of Germany, and it was chiefly on his insistence that the terms were modified.

American delegates also pointed out that control of any portion of Germany for such a period would delay the return home of American troops and would amount to annulling the sovereignty of Germany.

As amended the terms provide for control through the time fixed for delivery of materials of war, guns and ships, but not through the period during which war damages will be paid by Germany.

Reconciliation Fails, But Divorce Denied

Judge F. St. Sure was unsuccessful in an effort to reconcile the marital difficulties of Mrs. Norma Marvin and Benjamin H. Marvin, parties to a divorce action before him yesterday afternoon, in which the wife was plaintiff. He was unable likewise to see wherein the wife was entitled to a divorce and denied her plea. He gave her a separate allowance of \$40 a month.

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PARIS DEFENSE FORTS BACK TO A PEACE BASIS

PARIS, Tuesday, March 18.—(Havas)—The Chamber of Deputies today authorized the removal of special fortifications about Paris which were erected shortly after the war began.

There are three rings of permanent fortifications about the city of Paris, first a solid wall of masonry 23 miles in circumference around the old sections of the city, second, a system of 17 detached forts arranged at intervals of two miles beyond the wall and making a circuit of the city 34 miles in extent, and third, an outer circle of forts 75 miles in length on the heights commanding the valley of the Seine. In August, 1914, special fortifications were erected, buildings demolished and trees which obstructed a clear view of the terrain about the city were cut down. It is probable that it is this system of fortifications which is to be dismantled.

GIRL IS RUSHED AWAY IN AUTO

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—What appears to the police to be a kidnapping plot occurred shortly before 8 o'clock this morning at the employees' entrance to the New Process Laundry, 385 Eighth street, when Josephine Castro, 15, living at Chasley street, was seized and thrown into a taxicab which drove rapidly away.
According to Foreman H. H. Snow, the girl was just about to enter the plant with her mother when a man seized her, hurried her around the corner to Eighth street, where, assisted by the chauffeur, he placed her in the car and drove off.

Evangelist Dowe at Centennial

The special meetings now being held in the Centennial Presbyterian church started off with a fine swing on Sunday evening, and the audience increases each night.
Dowe, the evangelist, proved himself a good song leader as well as an earnest and effective preacher. The whole congregation sang most heartily the old familiar songs, and some that were not familiar.
The Rev. Ott Ironmonger of the First Presbyterian church sang two fine solos.
Dowe preached on the subject of Influence, showing how the church may be a power for good or a power for evil. He said: "God expects you to be just as good a citizen as a Christian, and just as good a Christian as a citizen. Either you are a scatterer, or you are a gatherer. I don't say that, Jesus Christ says it. The world may not read the Gospel according to Matthew, or Mark, or Luke, or John, but the world does read the Gospel according to you."
In closing, the preacher portrayed with real power the production of the first American Beauty rose from an old, ragged, and seemingly worthless briar bush, thus illustrating the power of Christ to transform seemingly worthless lives into something of beauty and of value.

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Y.W.C.A. RAISES FUND OF \$23,000

When all returns have been completed in the Oakland Young Women's Christian Association campaign, the total amount received will be close to \$23,000.
The feature of the reports made by the teams yesterday afternoon was the downfall of Mrs. Louis Cockcroft and her team. Throughout the campaign Mrs. Cockcroft steadily maintained her lead over all the teams, and though several other captains threatened her supremacy at several times, the closest contender being Mrs. Charles Rowe and her workers. It was at Mrs. Rowe's hands that Mrs. Cockcroft suffered defeat when Mrs. Rowe reported \$423 and Mrs. Cockcroft reported \$584 74.
Mrs. Cockcroft waited for some time before making her report, as she was expecting a telephone pledge for an amount that would have been of sufficient size to have again made her the winner, but the call did not arrive in time for the official closing of the campaign.
Another feature of yesterday's reports was the report made by Mrs. E. B. Shaw of the association home that the girls had raised \$57 for the association. The girls' club of the Fremont high school, together with the teachers, secured \$53 50.

'Tribune' Is Thanked By Collector Wardell

Editor TRIBUNE. Will you permit me to thank the OAKLAND TRIBUNE most cordially for the generous and sustained support given the internal revenue collection department during the income tax drive under the new revenue act.
In common with other officials, I am no undervaluer of the heavy calls that are constantly being made upon newspapers in the way of gratuitous publicity resulting from the exigencies of the war.
I am certain that the stimulus given the income tax campaign through your news columns and editorials has assisted greatly in the collection of taxes for which there is such urgent and constant need at this time. Respectfully,
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Transbay Reception to Colored Soldiers

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—San Francisco's returning colored soldiers will be guests of the city at a reception to be given here tomorrow evening.

In the Auditorium Community singing in which hundreds of trained voices representing choirs of all colored churches of the bay cities will take part. Supervisor Andrew J. Gallagher will be master of ceremonies. Lieutenant J. L. Kimbrough, 365th Infantry, will tell of the achievements of the colored troops in France. Other speakers will be Rev. James Washington, Rev. J. M. Brown of Oakland and Lieutenant Albert Alberga. The Colored-American Auxiliary of the Red Cross canteen workers will attend in uniform and will have charge of a large part of the program.



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CALAMITY THREATENED.

"The question whether the government shall continue in control of the carriers is no longer a debatable one. That question is settling itself. Government control after a single period of twelve months is shown to be the most dismal failure in all history. It is out of the question to find any parallel to it anywhere in human experience. The monthly returns as they come in are furnishing the evidence of failure with a vividness and conclusiveness which it is impossible to avoid."

This statement is a strong one. It is from the Commercial and Financial Chronicle of New York, the strongest and most independent journal of its kind in the country. But even those who have an inherent suspicion of any statement emanating from financial and business circles are obliged to observe that it is not overdrawn, that it is based on solid facts and confession of facts.

The monthly returns referred to are those filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington, and therefore are authentic and reliable. The commission requires monthly returns from all railroads whose gross operating revenue exceeds one million dollars a year. An exhibit has been compiled of 185 of these returns for December. Out of the 185 railroads seventy-two had failed to meet ordinary running expenses and ten more had failed to earn running expenses plus taxes, making eighty-two out of the 185 of the most prominent roads in the country. Truly, the result is startling and ought to arouse the attention of the whole public. Next to agriculture the railroad business is the largest industry in the country, and it is headed straight for the rocks of bankruptcy and destruction under government control. The public will have to pay the loss.

Charges have already been made upon the public—charges which were alleged to be necessary, and which ought to have been adequate, to a sound financial status to the railroads. Freight rates were last June advanced 25 per cent, while passenger fares were increased from 2 cents a mile to 2½ and 3 cents. These increased rates, levied upon the public, have really had impressive results. The increases in gross operating revenues have been very large. Yet, due to rising costs of operation, the railroads are growing poorer in net earnings, and, as shown above, nearly half the principal systems of the country are showing a deficit.

Take the Pennsylvania, admittedly one of the strongest systems in the country, as an example. The return shows that while gross earnings for December, as compared with the corresponding month last year, increased from \$22,480,944 to \$34,245,328, the net has fallen from \$2,812,480 to \$333,950. These figures of net are before the deduction of taxes. With the taxes taken out there is an actual deficit below expenses in amount of \$629,153. In other words, this prominent railroad system which in December earned gross of \$34,245,328 has succeeded in barely earning its expenses and fell short of earning taxes in the sum of \$629,153. In July \$12,088,781 gain in gross yielded \$4,047,565 gain in net; in December, on the other hand, \$11,764,384 increase in gross was attended by \$2,488,530 loss in net.

In the matter of government control bad is going to worse. The director-general a few weeks ago asked Congress to appropriate \$750,000,000 out of the federal treasury to meet the deficit in the railroad administration. Failing to get favorable action, he now proposes to float, through the War Finance Corporation, over \$700,000,000 of credits, thus adding to the negotiable credits of the country a seriously large sum. The paper credits are already sufficiently large for the financial safety of the country. The addition of three-quarters billion dollars of new paper will have a serious effect, a condition which the holders of Liberty bonds selling below par will appreciate. There are about thirty million holders of such bonds.

As THE TRIBUNE has repeatedly stated, the railroads will have to be restored to their private owners, and the main problem now is to devise a system of government regulation which will

equitably protect the public and the railroads and at the same time permit the railroads to give efficient public service.

This is the duty of Congress. It ought not long be postponed. Congress should now be considering legislation to govern that period when private control of the roads will be resumed. The President should reconvene Congress at once and thus do his essential part toward warding off that disaster which is certain if the government mismanages the railroads another year.

ILLITERACY IN AMERICA.

As the result of information obtained through the selective draft, the people have suddenly awakened to the fact that the percentage of illiteracy in the United States runs up to nearly 25 per cent, or one-quarter of the population, instead of 8 per cent as previously given out by the census bureau. It will be generally admitted that the army tests are much more accurate than those made by census enumerators. These enumerators propounded the questions, "Can you read?" and "Can you write?" and the answers were accepted even from those who were obviously loath to be considered ignorant, and no check was taken to verify the fact. In many instances there were those who had learned to write their names mechanically and even read a few words, but who technically might not be classified as illiterates.

The army classification, on the other hand, was carefully made by men trained for that character of work. It was not based upon ultra scientific standards, but upon common sense. The knowledge that 25 per cent of the people of this country are illiterate comes as a distinct shock.

As a curative measure there was introduced in the House and Senate of the United States at the recent session of Congress what was known as the Smith-Bankhead bill, the object of which was "to promote the education of native illiterates and of other resident persons of foreign birth; to provide for cooperation with the States in the education of such persons in the English language, the fundamental principles of government and citizenship, the elements of knowledge pertaining to self-support and home-making, and in such other work as will assist in preparing such illiterates and foreign-born persons for successful living and intelligent American citizenship."

The bill called for an appropriation for training teachers and close cooperation between the States and federal authorities. No State will be entitled to participate in the benefits of the proposed act until it shall by appropriate legislation require the instruction of not less than 200 hours per annum of all illiterate minors, or minors unable to speak, read or write the English language.

The sums to be appropriated are to be apportioned to the several States annually in the proportion which the total number of resident illiterate persons, ten years of age and over, and of persons ten years of age and over unable to speak the English language in that State, bears to the total number of illiterate persons unable to speak the English language of the United States, according to the last preceding United States census. The measure has the active and enthusiastic support of the Secretary of the Interior, under whose department its provisions will be administered.

With adjournment the bill died upon the files, but will be reintroduced with the convening of the new Congress. At this particular time no legislation can be of greater importance to the future welfare of the nation. The situation must be met and met promptly. No more effective attack can be directed against Bolshevism.

Herr Erzberger, in his propaganda for sympathy, declares that Germany is only morally bound to make compensation for unlawful damages in Belgium, and in this case Germany will deal honestly. Fortunately Germany's honesty is not entirely in her own keeping, and Herr Erzberger will hardly be permitted to pick the instances in which his country will make compensation for outlawry. It is most childish for him to think otherwise. How can he imagine that Germany may pay for the pillage of Belgium and escape payment for the thefts in France? Not so long ago as to be forgotten the German general staff, through its propaganda bureau, sent a circular into Spain to intimidate the people of that country against abandoning their attitude of partiality for the Huns. Therein was enumerated with typical braggadocio the thefts of silverware, table linen, underclothing and other household articles from the people of France. These articles must be paid for with the same acknowledgment of wrongdoing as will be exacted in the case of the outrages in Belgium.

The Bolshevik regime in Russia, it is reported, hopes to be able to arrange a large loan in America for the financing of the Bolshevik power. Just before permitting this "feeler" to go out the Lenin-Trotsky cabal explained to their supporters that they had consented to participate in the conference with ally delegates in the Sea of Marmora with the fixed design that any agreement signed should mean nothing to the Bolsheviks. It would be to their advantage, they said, because the allies would live up to any treaty and the Bolsheviks would go on just as they pleased—would follow the "scrap of paper" policy borrowed from Germany. Those who hold Bolshevism to be a form of insanity are not far wrong if the antics of the ringleaders in Russia are to be taken as a test.

NOTES and COMMENT

The difficulty of regulating every little thing by statute is illustrated in the Iowa Supreme Court decision on the state's anti-tipping law. It is held that the statute is unconstitutional because it doesn't prohibit the tipping of employers as employees. If they can't make an anti-tipping law stick in Iowa they are going to find it difficult anywhere.

The Russian Bolsheviks, Reds and assorted anarchists have achieved their utter freedom all right, but they appear to be surprised that it doesn't automatically provide things to eat on an easier basis than that enjoyed by peoples who are willing to submit to an orderly restraint.

In a divorce suit in which a celebrated name figures it is alleged by complaint that her husband "failed to tell her everything." This oversight may be insignificant, but we see in this instance how fatal it is.

The news comes, boxed in, that "Jimmy Britt will be home in the fall." It is thus that hope is revived. There had been some fear, possibly, that he might not arrive till winter.

Announcement is made that 500 German helmets will arrive within a few days, to be used in the Victory loan campaign. Everybody may not be of the same mind, but a Hun helmet has very transient interest for some people. They are content with seeing it in a show window, duly labeled and labeled, and their disposition as to subscribing for government bonds is not made more emphatic by having the exhibit in possession, dwelling with them permanently.

The Hun generals who came to grief provoke no laments, even among their own. General Von Arnim, who met an ignominious death at the hands of Bohemian peasants, gets but a paragraph in the news, and that by no means laudatory. He was the commander of the German army in Flanders during the period of the worst ruthlessness. The mills of the gods are grinding.

It isn't over yet for the draft evader, though the war seems to be pretty much through. Uncle Sam is not forgiving those who skulked when they were due to show up and take their chance of being selected to go in defense of the country. This fact is emphasized by a Los Angeles instance, where two rich young Americans levanted to Venezuela, confessedly to escape the draft, and have been sentenced, one to ten years and one to five months at Fort McJannet. Besides, they have something to live down.

A new complication arises in Nevada. The provision which was intended to establish woman suffrage, passed in 1914, was never enforced in the journals of the assembly and senate. The law was enacted all right, but they neglected to say so. However, Nevada has latterly become very supple in the matter of passing laws and no doubt the omission will be rectified without too great ado.

Hereafter the person who sells real estate will have to take out a license. A law requiring such qualification was passed at the last session, but the Supreme Court held it to be unconstitutional. Perhaps it isn't a bad law. It will at least head off the demands that so often crop around real estate transactions put in by "outsiders" who claim to have had something to do with putting the deal through.

The inquiry into the high price of food has progressed as far as milk, and it has been found that under no circumstances can, could, would or should milk be any cheaper than what it begins to look as though the thing for consumers to do is to organize against the price going a lot higher.

As was not altogether unexpected, the governor's plan of reducing the expense of state government is falling into desuetude. Expense of government is something like the beard of a man, which goes in easy enough but which involves a surgical operation to pull out. It is not so easy to increase expense, but all but impossible to lessen it. A job once created goes on forever.

The bill that was designed by a Samaritan legislator to rescue newsboys from the chance to earn money, and incidentally to enjoy themselves at the same time, is, or ought to be, in a way to crop.

Senator Crowley will be attended to later. Nobody guilty of such sacrilege as referring to Sacramento weather as "beastly" can go unscathed.

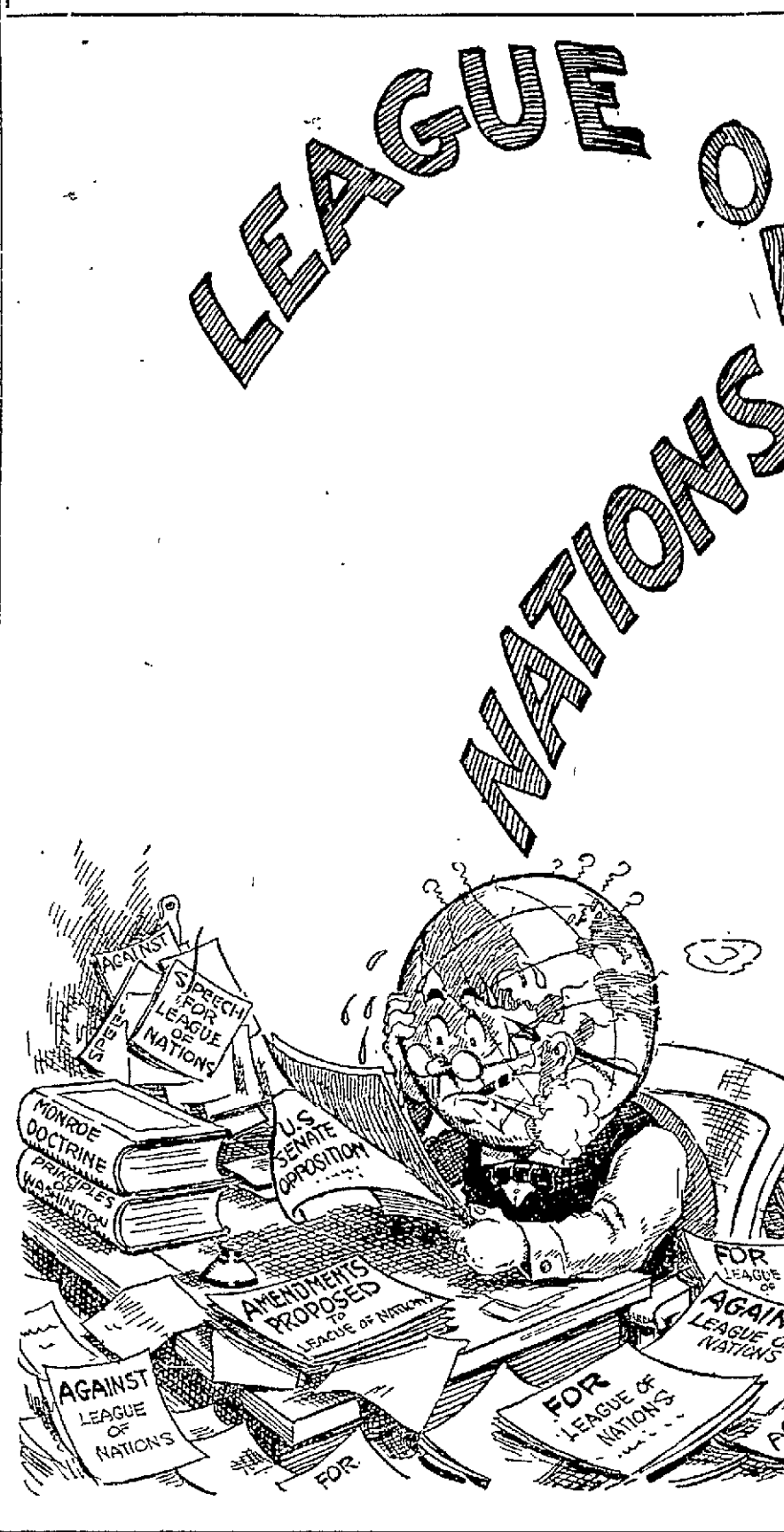
SPIRIT OF THE STATE PRESS.

Major F. S. Hutton estimates that the draft records from local headquarters of California and from the adjutant general's office will fill thirty cars. The shipments will be made March 31, and that will be the date of the selective service "swan song" in this state.—Sacramento Union.

At Sacramento, Tuesday, the Assembly judiciary committee recommended passage of Dora's bill which would prohibit displaying the red flag or other symbol of anarchy, and Argabrite's bill, aimed at the I. W. W., which would make the penalty for criminal conspiracy the same as that for the actual criminal act. The only thing to do, now, rush the bill to adoption.—Napa Register.

Legislators must have been persuaded that the California primary law is something so holy as hardly to be touched. They have absolutely refused to amend it so that candidates can not seek the nomination of more than one political party. After what happened in 1915, it might have been expected that with considerable unanimity members of the legislature would have thrown the entire law into the "scrap heap."—San Bernardino Sun.

THE BURNING QUESTION



THE MARSHALL ISLANDS

The Marshall Islands, which, along with the Carolines, were seized by Japan from Germany soon after the outbreak of the world war, are described in a bulletin issued by Washington headquarters of the National Geographic Society.

"The two chains of curiously shaped atolls, or coral islands, consisting of low-lying coral reefs encircling lagoons, known as the Marshall group, lie a little south of the center of an imaginary line between the Philippines and Hawaii," the bulletin says.

"Guam, Samoa and Honolulu form a triangle of trade routes, with its sides not penetrated by important seaship lines. Near the center of this isolated Pacific zone are the Marshall Islands.

"Before the war Sydney was reached by steamer, a voyage of more than 3000 miles. The only other egress is a steamer to Ponape, which connects with the French line to Suva.

"The two loosely strung chains of islands stretch from northwest to southeast, each with its lagoon setting encased by a strangely shaped crescent of coral, some like triangles, harps and stirrups, and one outlining a bull's head with its horns.

"Straight haired, dark brown natives, still preserving the religious significance of tattoo and taboo, are to be found. Once a sturdy, reliant, sea-faring people, for they were the best mariners in the Pacific, the white man's coming, as in the case of his advent among the Eskimo and the Indian, did not seem wholly beneficial.

"In teaching them ways to live more easily civilization robbed them of that boldness and adventure which made them the hardest of the Micronesian peoples. Many of the young died of tuberculosis.

"Native society was rigorously organized into at least three classes from whom the nobles and the chief, then the lesser nobles and a third group, some of whom might own property, but none of whom could have more than one wife.

"Woman was given a higher position than among most savages because succession was through the female line. But the chief's power was absolute, to the point of life and death. One ambitious ruler learned an alphabet and is said to have beheaded all his subjects who seemed likely to acquire more knowledge than he had. In some islands the mother was allowed to keep only the first three children. She had to bury the fourth.

"Skillful and fearless navigators, the natives used broad-tree wood to make sailing canoes, in which they would voyage for months. They devised charts, made of sticks, showing the locations of islands and the directions of prevailing winds.

Floors were raised above the ground to escape the rats, and thatched roofs covered the con-
bination house and storage room.

"The two island groups are known as the Ratak and Ralik chains. Their entire area is not more than 160 square miles; their native population 15,000, with fewer than 300 foreigners. The seat of German government was on Jalut, and the most populous island is Majuro, with but 1500 persons.

"Other explorers had touched at the islands, but they, with the Gilbert group, took their names from Captains Marshall and Gilbert, who explored them in 1788. The Germans annexed the islands in 1886.

BRAIN-STORM VICTIMS.

In the old Greek myth the Maenads used to tear up fawns and kids, and even sacred kings, and devour them in honor of their god, Dionysus, or Bacchus. Such fury is incomprehensible in these austere and dry-going times. The fury that possesses the militant sisters cannot be explained by a vicious or demonic therapeutic clinic. In no other way can the effluvia manifestation and riot on the night of Mr. Wilson's visit be accounted for. In no other way can we understand why woman, normally or originally of education and good breeding, seek to disfigure a great public occasion, shriek, claw, cuff, belabor the police, strike about them wildly with the poles of their foolish banners, burn the President's speech, act like a cross between a wildcat and a Coney Island tiger.—New York Times.

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USEFUL VOCABULARY

Ho—See that man over there? He's a bombastic ass, a windjammer nonentity, a concurred humbug, a pansy, and an incumbrance to the earth.

She—Would you mind writing all that down for me?

He—Why in the world—

She—He's my husband, and I should like to use it on him some time.—Dulles News.

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The matrimonial fireworks were nearly over. Just the last dying splutters told of what had been.

"I wish," said he, "that I could get hold of some cakes like mother used to make for me!"

"And I wish," she retorted, "that I could get hold of some clothes like father used to buy for me!"—London Answers.

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HEALTH and HAPPINESS

Fat Now Injected to Cure "Leopard Spots" Disease

BY DR. LEONARD K. HIRSHBERG
A. B. M. A., M. D.
(Johns Hopkins University)

About the time that the English colonies in this country severed their relations with the motherland and declared their independence, one Dr. Verhoeff described a milder, or a mild, though troublesome, nature, which he called "purpura." His classical description told of pale, purplish spots of a more or less fleeting nature, with some disturbances of the joints.

Much moonshine about that malady has been splashed since that time, but knowledge of Verhoeff's disease has grown apace.

It is now known that more or less trouble is present in the blood, the joints or the intestines when purpura asserts its unwelcome presence. When the ailment is not virulent, the tiny "bits of broken glass" called blood platelets usually seen in the healthy disappear more or less completely. When the purpura is complicated with some infection, however, or exhibits greater severity, the blood plaques reappear.

Purpura may be chronic or intermittent, with swollen, painful knees or other joints, hives, colic, cramps or intestinal hemorrhages.

Another physician, Henoch, called attention to a sudden, acute, explosive type of purpura called "purpura fulminans" or fulminating purpura. This latter sort is more dangerous.

Relief of the abominable joint pains is obtained often by the external application of heat in clay or oatmeal poultices. Salicylate of soda, five and ten grains every four hours, with calcium in ten-grain doses to prevent blood escaping from the veins as purple bruises is advised by Prof. Johannessen of Christiania. Adrenalin or sphephrin, extracts of the suprarenal glands, also has proved to be useful in his hands.

Diet of good liver oil, without alcohol, earthy phosphates, butter, cream, animal fats and gelatin in liberal amounts, generally acts in a most beneficial way upon the victims of chronic purpura.

Gelatin and albumin of an animal and vegetable nature, injected under the skin by means of a syringe, effects this more rapidly than by means of a diet.

A 15 per cent solution of gelatin or other like substance can also be given with syrup of raspberry, a tablespoonful every second hour.

Blood serum of any antitoxin serum also will do for this purpose. It is usually ready to use put up in syringes. Used once a day or every other day together with forced feedings of a well-balanced diet of fresh meats, fruits, cereals, vegetables, milk, eggs, nuts, cream, cheese and seasoning, most persons with purpura, the "leopard spot" malady, recover their full health and strength.

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AUTO SOUGHT AS CLEW TO GIRL'S DEATH

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—No developments were announced today by the detectives investigating the death of Elizabeth Reed, army nurse, whose body was found March 8 in Crystal Springs Gulch, near San Mateo. Several clues are under investigation, however, with possibilities of important discoveries at any time.

Testimony of four Hair Moon Bay residents that an unlighted touring car was seen at 1:30 a. m., March 8, standing near where the nurse's body was found has started a state-wide search for this car. Police believe that at the time the car was seen, its occupants were carrying the body of the girl, dead from a criminal operation, to the spot where it was found sixteen hours later.

The whereabouts of the dead girl between March 8 and March 8 is also being investigated through a check up on hotels and rooming houses.

Police Lieutenant Woods At It Again

Lieutenant of Police William F. Woods, whose police reports have for long been vest pocket sermons on crime as well as police duty, is at it again. For the past two months, his reports have been very official and very "straight" as to matter.

But today this one came in to Chief Noddemann's desk.

"Antonio Silva had been partaking of stimulants, whereby he was influenced to hold argument with my patrolman, and the result is that he is now in custody on the evils of partaking of the cup that cheers to such an extent as to over-cher he who partakes."

"LIEUT. WM. F. WOODS."

Jackson to Deliver Address to Britishers

Edwin R. Jackson of San Francisco will give an address before the Oakland Chapter, American Institute of Banking, tomorrow night. He will illustrate with stereoscopic slides his theme which will contrast the war of Lincoln and the war of Wilson. His subject will be "Fighting for Liberty Under President Lincoln and President Wilson." Jackson has had access to the famous Brady Civil War pictures and to original pictures of the present conflict. Camps, battlefields, prisons, engineering and naval features will be shown.

Ten-Minute Car Service Is Begun

A ten-minute car service to 5 p. m. has been put into operation on the Park Boulevard line with a double service between the rush hours of 5 and 6 p. m. The extra cars will carry passengers as far as the Greenwood avenue switch, running ahead of the regular cars by five minutes. The improved service is the result of a conference between W. A. Alberger of the traction company and the members of the Glenview Improvement Club.

Mrs. Ernestine Adams and Adolph Uhl Are Married



MRS. ADOLPH UHL, formerly Mrs. Ernestine Adams, widow of the late John Charles Adams, who became the bride of the Oakland and San Francisco capitalist yesterday at a quiet ceremony in the Memorial Chapel at Stanford University.

Dame rumor has once again been justified. Despite repeated declarations that she would never wed again, firm assertions that romance was done for her when her first husband, John Charles Adams, died four years ago, Mrs. Ernestine Adams yesterday became the bride of Adolph Uhl.

Mrs. Adams and Uhl went to San Jose where their license was obtained. They were accompanied by Miss Ernestine Adams, daughter of the bride. In the memorial chapel at Stanford University, the ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Willard. Mr. and Mrs. Uhl left immediately on a motor trip.

The names of the beautiful widow of the late capitalist and Uhl have been linked together since Mrs. Helen B. Uhl, his first wife, obtained her final

decree of divorce in December, 1915. Although they were constantly seen in public together and Uhl planned innumerable fetes in compliment to the trio of lovely Adams girls last budding into womanhood, Mrs. Adams laughingly declared that only friendship inspired the meetings.

Mrs. Uhl is the widow of the late John Charles Adams, brother of Edson Adams. The family have occupied a fine old estate at Oakland avenue and Bay Place. Miss Ernestine Adams and Miss Schatz Adams are in California with their mother. Miss Vera de Vere Adams is in one of the exclusive finishing schools in New York. The girls are pronounced California beauties. Mrs. Uhl herself, has been judged one of the most beautiful women in local society. Under the Adams will they inherited a fortune of several millions.

Uhl has two daughters, Mrs. Ward Dawson, formerly Miss Blinn Uhl, and Miss Constance Uhl, who were awarded to their mother at the time of the divorce. Mrs. Uhl brought her action on the grounds of wilful desertion. Under the property settlement, she was given the handsome home at 29 Illinois avenue, Piedmont, and an almost equal division of the community property. The couple were married in 1918. In harmony marked their married life for 15 years according to the testimony. Uhl is a brother of George Uhl with

WORLD WIDE ADVERTISING FOR OAKLAND

Oakland, already a widely advertised city, proposes to take advantage of the rising tide sweeping toward the western coast. To that end the board of directors of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce has gone unanimously on record as in favor of Senator Breed's bill to establish a state publicity commission.

"The only thing I regret in the bill," says H. C. Campbell, president of the Oakland Chamber, "is that it appropriates only about one-tenth of the money that should be spent in advertising California."

"Europe is shattered. There is no place for the tourist to go there. There is no reason for the tourist to go there. We have in America and in California particularly, greater glories than they know in the Old World."

"They have effete ruins, it is true, but right here in the West we have remains of a more interesting race, with the towers of a civilization that antedates the peoples that reared their castles in the days when the crusaders were a fact."

ENDORSE BREED'S BILL

Endorsement of Senator Breed's bill given unanimously by the board of directors yesterday on recommendation of the Publicity Committee.

The board also gave endorsement, on recommendation of the City Planning Committee, to the plan of constructing a connecting link between the Foot-Hill boulevard and the highway leading into the hill country of the back of Oakland. By connecting up a few short stretches of roads a boulevard from the vicinity of Mills College to the University of California can be provided.

The State Board of Health shortly will begin a comprehensive survey of health circumstances in Oakland, under a regulation adopted by the directors. The board approved a recommendation of the Public Health Committee to that effect, covering the following points:

- 1.—City Health Department; health officer and staff; records; scope of work; relation to schools.
- 2.—Prevalence of communicable diseases.
- 3.—Study of statistics of the Health Department for peculiar or unusual conditions.
- 4.—Industrial welfare.
- 5.—Housing conditions.
- 6.—Sanitary environment of school properties.
- 7.—Water supply.
- 8.—Sewer disposal.
- 9.—Garbage disposal.

NO EXPENSE TO CITY

Such survey is to be undertaken by the State Board of Health without expense to Oakland. The main object is to provide Oakland with an expert health officer, it is asserted. The State Board of Health is to begin work at once and to complete its task within from three to five months.

The directors also adopted a resolution on motion of R. H. Pendleton, calling upon the Alameda county delegation in the State Legislature to support legislation increasing the amount of state aid in support of orphanages. The ground set forth is the high cost of living. The resolutions follow:

"Whereas, it was brought to our attention that the cost of food has risen 271 per cent since 1910, at which time the state provided an allowance of \$3.25 per month for the support of half-orphanages and \$8.32 for the support of orphanages, and

"Whereas, There is now a bill pending in the legislature to increase this support to \$12.25, therefore be it resolved, That we request our Alameda county delegation both to support and further the passage of the legislation which provides the amount of \$12.25 for children entitled to and receiving state aid."

On report of the Laws and Legislation Committee the following action was taken by the board:

Disapproval of Assembly bill 527 by Carter, proposing to ratify any lease

whom he is associated in a large wholesale paper concern in San Francisco. He is a well known citizen, a member of several of the organizations across the bay. At the time of the graft prosecutions Uhl was associated with Francis J. Heney.

There's a message from Joe King to you on Page 10.—Advertisement.

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NINE-HOUR DAY WOMEN'S BILL PASSES HOUSE

SACRAMENTO, March 19.—The Assembly voted yesterday, by a 41 to 32 vote, to pass the White's bill to permit women laundry employees to work nine hours in weeks where holidays fall. The vote on Hurley's motion was 41 to 32.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 19.—The legislature brought its first labor controversy to a head yesterday when the Assembly passed White's bill to amend the eight-hour law to permit women laundry employees to work nine hours a day in weeks where holidays occur.

The lower house is expected to dispose of the measure finally today on Assemblyman Hurley's motion to reconsider. Further labor discussion will be postponed until Mrs. Dorris' bill providing for a 10-hour day for women in domestic service which is now ready for a vote, as is Hurley's anti-injunction bill in the Senate.

The White bill, as finally passed by the House, limited laundry employees to 45 hours in weeks where holidays occur and provided for time and a half pay for the additional hour worked to offset the holiday.

Consideration of the Breed primary bill, passed last week by the Senate, and proposed amendments is expected tomorrow if the Assembly succeeds in getting to pending Senate bills. Speaker Wright today warned members that because of increasing opposition to the bill, it would be sent to the foot of the file. The Assembly passed fifteen bills yesterday and the Senate six.

Among the Assembly bills was Doran's bill to make the display of a red flag "or any other symbol of anarchy" a felony punishable by imprisonment from six months to five years.

REPORT ON LOSS OF GRAPE MEN TO BE SOUGHT

SACRAMENTO, March 19.—The Assembly today directed the agriculture committee to bring to the floor of the House Hurley's bill to the loss prohibition would be occasion to California grape growers. The vote was 42 to 28. The bill had been tabled in committee.

Today's skirmish was the third won within a week by assemblymen who opposed prohibition. The first was the defeat of a movement to permit sixth class cities to raise their tax rates above \$1. An increase was said to be necessary because of the revenues which would be cut off by prohibition. The second was the defeating of the Alton's abatement bill to the judiciary committee where, prohibition members said, it would be tabled.

or franchise granted by a municipality for lots and submerged lands. Disapproval of Assembly bill 204, by Assemblyman Collins, forbidding the use of steam sprayer machines.

Scott, limiting the size of bricks to 8x2x4. The bill gives "dead tolerance" in common bricks of "one-eighth inch by one-eighth inch by one-eighth inch in width and one-sixteenth inch in thickness."

Disapproval of Senator Lyon's bill requiring a license from the Secretary of State and a bond of \$10,000 for mercantile reporting agencies.

The board approved of Senate bill 355, by King, creating a state board of forestry and providing safeguards for the forestry and particularly with reference to the prevention of forest fires.

Disapproval of Assembly bill 527 by Carter, proposing to ratify any lease

whom he is associated in a large wholesale paper concern in San Francisco. He is a well known citizen, a member of several of the organizations across the bay. At the time of the graft prosecutions Uhl was associated with Francis J. Heney.

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New Rail Tax Refund Plea Refused State Surplus Too Low: De Motte

SACRAMENTO, March 19.—Renewed appeals by the federal railroad administration for a refund of \$71,630 on the taxes to be collected by California on the gross earnings of the five government controlled railroads in the state were answered today in a telegram by Marshall De Motte, chairman of the state board of control, with a statement that "inevitable appropriations" by the state legislature would "reduce the surplus so low that the state could not possibly" make the refund suggested.

"We believe it impossible to secure the appropriation from the present legislature, even if we felt it just to attempt it," De Motte added.

SURPLUS FUND SUGGESTED. A telegram from John Barton Payne, general counsel of the director general of railroads, to Governor William D. Stephens suggested that the refund might be made from the state's surplus fund of \$4,000,000.

De Motte explained in his telegram that the bicentennial budget prepared last January appropriated all but \$300,000 of the state's income for two years.

"The budget board pledged approval of an appropriation of \$2,000,000 for schools to give teachers a living salary, also \$300,000 for orphan support now insufficient under present conditions," De Motte's telegram said. "These must come from the \$4,000,000 surplus."

TABLE TRUST DEED BILL. The senate judiciary committee tabled a bill by Assemblyman Carter fixing the time for redemption of trust deeds under foreclosure in one year. The bill had been passed by the assembly. It was opposed by building and loan associations.

The senate labor and capital committee voted to report favorably bills increasing the salaries of deputies in the bureau of labor statistics and to prohibit agents of employers from soliciting an employee a fee at the time of being hired.

The assembly committee on labor and capital voted to report favorably a bill by Hurley requiring employers to furnish an employee immediately when he is discharged and within 24 hours if he quits.

RUSH SUTTER BY-PASS LIEVE. An agreement to support a bill to provide \$2,000,000 for flood control work in the Sacramento and San Joaquin drainage districts was reached today at a conference of lawmakers and members of the state reclamation board. Dozier Jr., engineer for the board, has announced.

"The conference resulted in a decision to press completion of the east levee of the Sutter by-pass along its present location," Dozier said.

This by-pass has been the center of a controversy in the legislature for several years and the Sutter county farmers and landowners in district No. 1, which was flooded several weeks ago, opposed a bill passed at the first half of this session of the legislature authorizing the state board of control to invest \$300,000 in warrants of the reclamation board. It was stated the measure was necessary to insure the closure of the east levee of the by-pass before the spring floods.

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SAN RAFAEL, March 19.—One young woman was killed and five others seriously injured shortly after midnight in a collision between two automobiles near Inverness.

TRE DEAD. Miss Elta Parsons, 27, George Breese, fractured shoulder and arm.

THE INJURED. Alfred Bianchi, broken leg and arm and three fractured ribs. George Morse, bruises.

Mrs. Morse, two fractured ribs. Infant son of the Moroses, bruises and lacerations.

Miss Parsons was with Breese and Bianchi, who was driving the car. Behind them in another machine were the Moroses.

Bianchi's car suddenly went slightly off the road and he brought his machine to a sudden stop.

The car behind crashed into it, knocking Bianchi's machine on its side and crushing Miss Parsons.

The dead woman is from Salinas and was on a visit to her aunt's home at Inverness. Her sister, Anna Parsons, with whom the dead girl lived at Salinas, has been notified and is en route to San Rafael to claim the body, which is still at the morgue.

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BIG LEAGUERS HIBERNATING HERE CHANGE MINDS ABOUT HOLDING OUT AND SIGN CONTRACTS

Oaks Stronger in Catching Department Than Any Other Club in the Coast League

Murphy's Stars Defeat Wares' Warriors in a Fast Practice Game On Local Lot

By BOB SHAND

The exclusive story in last night's TRIBUNE "Green" telling of the signing of Horus Mitze by the Oakland club caused a stir in baseball circles and the fans are now convinced that the local management is out to get a real ball club. In Elliott and Mitze Oakland has the best pair of back-stops in the league and individually they are in the top Spencer class. Mitze has been holding out for several weeks and recently was told to make a deal for himself. It was thought that House would extend to both the Seals, who need a back-stop worse than the catcher will need for a long time, but Mitze is strong for this man's town and did not want to leave. As predicted in these columns yesterday the little back-stop held a conference with Foreman Howard and when the pair got through chattering Mitze was a member of the 1919 Oaks.

ROHRER AND MURRAY ARE FREE AGENTS

Following the acquisition of Mitze Howard broke some bad news to Dan Murray and Daddy Rohrer, but both watchers were ready to beat the little play by asking that they be released. They knew there was no place on the ball club for them with such a pair as Elliott and Mitze draw to go. Daddy Rohrer had his back packed half an hour before Del looked him up and Daddy was home with his folks before the afternoon game started. Murray was not even downcast when he heard that Mitze had been signed. He was looking over to the bench where some of the boys were sitting and cheerfully remarked, "Gee, I got canned. Then to show there were no hard feelings Danny stepped to the center of the diamond and under the eyes of the fans between the Wares' Warriors and the Murphy's All-stars.

CHARLIE ERVIN IS GIVEN HIS RELEASE

While he had the ax handy Foreman Howard amputated Mr. Charlie Ervin from the payroll. Ervin was in the navy for awhile and was recommended to the club by De Witt Lee of the Island team. With Jack Roche and Lloyd trying for the first base job there was no place for Ervin. He got out of the navy and got a kick in the head playing football and was incapacitated. Lloyd figured there was no use in keeping him hanging around.

Some of the other youngsters are on the anxious bench and they will be getting their turn in a few days. The lot is still cluttered with a lot of superfluous players. Del will have to make room for his real ballplayers within the next few days. Oaks Coach De Witt Lee, who is a product simply refused to be fired and appeared on the field yesterday as large as life. Not only did Oaks show up but he pitched part of the game between the Murphy's and the Wares. However, Oaks was just a volunteer and was never signed to a contract. He has a habit of working out with a lot of league club every season and he is a real ballplayer. He will not be enough to catch on with a Class AA outfit. Oaks is a real ballplayer and is going to win a flock of games in the bushes.

MURPHY'S STARS WIN FROM WARES' WARRIORS

Al Bonner, the big chucker from the northwest was on the hill for the Murphy's yesterday and was given a hot reception. Ralph Croll and Clyde Wares, the first two men up grabbed the ends of the bat and the first out of the hole with only one run against him in this frame. He allowed another out and the third man was pitched and maybe Howard has picked up a winning throw in the big show. He struck out four and walked one.

Clyde Wares kicked Willie's grounder in the first frame. He was out later when Hack Miller evaded the count. This time the score was tied. The Murphy's granted another run in the third when Willie doubled. The two down and scored on a hit by Hap More. The Wares scored back on Hap's walk. Croll and Christensen's bouncer. Miller doubled in the sixth and the winning run trickled over when Roche got a fly. Lou Lender's error.

BENEFIT GAME FOR SALVATION ARMY

The Salvation Army will be tendered a benefit baseball game by the Oaks and Elks Saturday, March 23, and every member of the local lodge of Elks has promised to go out and sell tickets.

The idea originated with Frank Woodward, a director of the club. Meeting Friday evening at Fourteenth and Franklin streets last night, Frank Woodward, Elks' president, and Elks' chaplain, "Ray," Cal, the Elks went to play ball on the 25th, how about it?

"You gotta game," answered Elks' Woodward, "and I'll pay my way in and take some friends with me." And so the game was arranged and the Salvation Army ladies will be asked to get out and sell doughnuts and hot coffee if it is a hot day and doughnuts and lemonade if the weather is warm.

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OAKS' BEST BETS IN THE PITCHER'S BOX



A bevy of pitchers who are working out with the Oaks. Reading from left to right we find HARRY KRAUSE, the only southpaw on the staff, "BUZ" ARLETT, CARL HOLLING, RAY KREMER, AL BONNER and HERB BRENTON. Krause, Arlett and Kremer are veteran members of the staff. Holling is a local boy who promises to make good; Brenton comes from Sacramento and Bonner from the northwest.

WHAT'S THE DOPE? TRIBUNE TOURNEY ENDS FINAL GAMES TONIGHT

By CARL E. BRAZIER

8996 Games in the Coast League.

Records of the sixteen years of the Pacific Coast League show that 8996 games have been won and lost in the league—this does not count the games that have ended in the scores, records of which were not kept consistently during the early years of the league. Oakland, San Francisco and Los Angeles have each been in the league since its birth in 1903; Portland's only year out of the circuit was last year, giving Portland fifteen years in the league; Vernon has been in ten years, two years under the name of Venetec; Sacramento has had eight years in the league; Salt Lake and Seattle four years each; Tacoma two years, and Fresno one year.

Los Angeles has the best record of games won and lost in the history of the league. In sixteen years the Angels have won 1721 games and lost 1166, for a percentage of .595. In her two years in the league, Tacoma won 236 and lost 201, for a .540 percentage. Salt Lake in her four years in the circuit has won 357 and lost 331, for a .519 percentage. San Francisco in sixteen years has won 1689 and lost 1561, a victory percentage of .518. In the sixteen years the Oaks have won 1483 games and lost 1759, giving them a .453 percentage.

OAKLAND HAS LOST 1759 GAMES.

Oakland, Sacramento and Fresno have been the goats, the records of each showing more games lost than won. In eight years in the league, 1913 was the only year that Sacramento has won more games than it lost. In 1903 and 1918, Sacramento teams won as many as they lost; in the other years in the league was 1906 and showed 64 games won and 117 lost.

In the first half of the 1901 season, Oakland won 96 and lost 78; in the second half, the Oaks won 60 and lost 53, giving 116 won and 109 lost for the season. In 1910 the Oaks won 122 and lost 95; in 1911 they won 147 and lost 99; in 1912 the pennant-winning Oaks won 120 and lost 83. In 1915, when the Oaks were in the first division, they won 107 and lost 107. In 1916, when the Oaks were in the second division, they won 107 and lost 107.

Following table shows number of years each club has been in the league, total games won and lost, and the percentage of games won:

Club	Yrs. Won	Lost	Pct.	Club	Yrs. Won	Lost	Pct.
Los Angeles	16	1721	.595	Portland	15	1465	.507
Tacoma	2	236	.540	Oakland	16	1483	.457
Salt Lake	4	357	.519	Sacramento	8	517	.447
Vernon	10	1008	.476	Fresno	1	64	.117

Seven years ago Oakland won a pennant; of the six years since that memorable event, the Oaks have finished four times in the cellar and twice in fifth place. That 1912 pennant team was the only championship team in the league; in sixteen years in the league, further than that, that pennant team was one of four teams in the league history that show Oakland a first division team. In 1910 the Oaks were in the second division, in 1911 they were in third place; in 1912 and 1913 the Oaks were in the first division, in 1914 they were in the second division, in 1915 they were in the first division, in 1916 they were in the second division, in 1917 they were in the first division, in 1918 they were in the second division, in 1919 they were in the first division, in 1920 they were in the second division, in 1921 they were in the first division, in 1922 they were in the second division, in 1923 they were in the first division, in 1924 they were in the second division, in 1925 they were in the first division, in 1926 they were in the second division, in 1927 they were in the first division, in 1928 they were in the second division, in 1929 they were in the first division, in 1930 they were in the second division, in 1931 they were in the first division, in 1932 they were in the second division, in 1933 they were in the first division, in 1934 they were in the second 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MONEY VOTED TO ENTERTAIN CONGRESSMEN

Appropriation of \$400 from the city general fund for the entertainment of the Congressional Committee on Naval Affairs, was here Saturday, was ordered today by the City Council. The entertainment will be handled by the Chamber of Commerce, acting in cooperation with Mayor John L. Davis. Mayor Davis said that the details of the reception of the distinguished visitors were being worked on, and that the city officials would be asked to assist in officially welcoming the visitors in the name of the city.

"This is one of the most important visits to Oakland since the war," said the mayor, "and it probably will mean assurance of speedy development of the Alameda naval base. We should make this one of the biggest official affairs ever arranged in Oakland."

The appropriation was unanimously voted, the Mayor being given general supervision of the expenditure of the fund.

ALAMEDA, March 19.—Directors of the Alameda Chamber of Commerce, which is sharing with the Oakland Chamber of Commerce the chief expense of bringing to the east side of the bay the House Naval Committee, held a conference today at the Hotel Alameda to consider plans for the visit to the Alameda naval base and Alameda city proper Saturday afternoon.

Following the luncheon at the Hotel Alameda, and starting at 2:30 o'clock, the Congressional party will be taken to Alameda pier in a special Southern Pacific train, as the best view of the naval base can be secured from this point. On the return trip the party will be met by autos at Pacific Junction and taken for a quick trip through the heart of Alameda and across the industrial district. They will then be taken into Oakland via the Park street-East Oakland route, stopping at the concrete shipyard on Government Island.

The Chamber of Commerce, which included the securing of the required auto, the route of travel and the general expense to be defrayed. The Chamber of Commerce, which is sharing with the Oakland Chamber of Commerce the chief expense of bringing to the east side of the bay the House Naval Committee, held a conference today at the Hotel Alameda to consider plans for the visit to the Alameda naval base and Alameda city proper Saturday afternoon.

U. C. CHARTER DAY PLANS COMPLETED

TRIBUNE BUREAU 2011 SHATTUCK AVE. BERKELEY, March 19.—Rev. Charles A. Raman, member of the board of regents of the University of California and administrator of St. Mary's Cathedral, San Francisco, has been chosen to pronounce invocation at the fifty-first Charter Day exercises of the State University to be held Saturday morning at the Greek theater.

Father Raman holds a Ph. D. degree from the University of California, granted in 1911, and is also a graduate of St. Mary's seminary in Baltimore in 1914.

Plans for the annual observance of the birthday of the University are practically completed today. Music for the exercises will be furnished by the University orchestra, supplemented by San Francisco musicians under the direction of Charles Paul Schuster, the singing of "America" and the University hymn will be led by college yell leaders.

Among the alumni authorities to be held in various parts of the world "Charter Day" will be a banquet to be participated in by the men of the American Expeditionary Forces in Paris, according to word just received by Homer H. Hume, alumni secretary.

"Soul" Kiss Charged In Divorce Plea

Ruth A. Hedges has sued Harold E. Hedges for both annulment of marriage and divorce. She charges that he defrauded her by making her believe he was receiving \$200 a month salary, when he was receiving only \$75 a month, and she says a friend of her saw him laughing and kissing a young lady by a window. For ten minutes at a time, she alleges, they clung to each other in a "soul kiss," and for half an hour the performance lasted while people looked on.

Lawrence J. Black sues for annulment of his marriage to Blanche L. Black, an actress, alleging that she deceived him about the fact of her former marriage.

Mrs. M. A. Welden charges that R. Welden accused her of having a yellow streak. She says he earns \$50 a month and does not work, but she says he is a "soul kiss" man.

Other divorces filed today are: Cecil Meigs against Paul P. Meigs, charged with adultery; Marie C. Schuster against William F. Schuster, charged with adultery; and William F. Schuster against Marie C. Schuster, charged with adultery.

Brewing Firm Sues To Test Bone Dry Law

NEW YORK, March 19.—The latest suit to test the constitutionality of the bone dry law was filed in the United States District Court today by the Jacob Hoffman Brewing Company.

Mark Eisner, collector of internal revenue, and Francis J. Caffrey, federal district attorney, are defendants. The brewing concern asks an injunction to prevent the defendants from suing the company for violating the "bone dry" law is unconstitutional.

Canadian Steamer Is Stranded on Reef

EASTPORT, Me., March 19.—The Canadian steamship Croja, coal laden, was ashore and fast filling with water on Old Proprietor reef in the Bay of Fundy this afternoon. The Croja's crew was taken from the disabled steamer by Canadian lifeboats and were landed at Whitehead island. Captain King of the Croja refused to leave his ship.

8 German Ships Sail for Foodstuffs

NEW YORK, March 19.—Eight German steamers, including the Kalcen, Auguste Victoria, Cleveland, Graf Waldersee and Pretoria, sailed from Hamburg this week for foodstuffs, according to advices from Berlin.

BLAMES HINES FOR THEFT OF PANTS ON TRAIN

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., March 19.—He blames Walker D. Hines, J. L. Wilkin, president of the Wilkin-Hale State Bank, returning from Fort Worth, Texas, stirred up his eyes, rolled over and reached for his trousers.

The Pullman porter didn't know either. The conductor shook his head. So when Wilkins finished his mile and a half of unusual travel through Oklahoma City streets, he was decidedly half suited. To cover his embarrassment and exposure he brought a \$2000 "it" life savings Hines ought to pay.

Also he mentions a diamond stickpin and other valuables which he lost on the train.

The suit is pending in district court here today.

TREATY OBSTACLE IS CLEARED UP

By WILLIAM PHILLIP SIMMS, United Press Staff Correspondent. PARIS, March 19.—Another "tempest in a teapot" seems to have blown over today.

Further investigation confirmed that Foreign Minister Pichon in his statement Sunday intended no opposition to inclusion of the league of nations in the peace treaty, but merely questioned whether there was sufficient time to perfect the treaty for incorporation into the preliminary pact.

The neutrals will have their opportunity to present recommendations for amendments to the covenant at tomorrow's session and it was believed the covenant would be in shape to present before a preliminary conference for open debate before Saturday.

"President Wilson apparently has approved the military and naval conditions contained in the definite armistice with Germany," said the Temps, which usually voices the ideas of the French government.

"Therefore, after the council of ten deliberates on these, there is nothing to prevent Marshal Foch giving the Germans seventy-two hours' notice of cessation of the present armistice and informing them of the new conditions which their military status. But only the military problems have been solved in this manner. Political problems have been adjourned."

"The question of Versailles, probably will come up before the council whether or not it is preferable to fix in a permanent diplomatic document Germany's military, political and economic status. In this document the pact of the league of nations will be included. If this opinion prevails, subsequent sessions will be utilized for fixing Germany's frontiers, after which the Germans will be returned to Versailles to sign the preliminaries."

AID TO HUMANITY ARTIST'S REWARD

An artist's valuation of his work is not always in agreement with the opinion of art dealers and connoisseurs, as was demonstrated today before Justice of the Peace Harry W. Puffer. Artist Albert Manzie, who is now a brakeman on a railway, sued Dr. J. P. Shaffner for \$150 alleged to be for two paintings of mountain scenes. He failed to get judgment.

Manzie left the pictures with the defendant in 1915, asking the doctor to try to sell them. He was never heard from again until recently, after he had seen the paintings in a Red Cross shop on Broadway. Then he wrote a letter asking the doctor to pay for them. The doctor replied, according to his testimony, that after the pictures had been sold, he had sent the money to the store of E. J. Saake, art dealer.

Saake said he could not sell them, as they were without merit, and they were sent to the Red Cross. The Red Cross apparently sold them, and all trace of them was lost. The court believed that the efforts of the artist were finally not in vain, and that he had made a contribution through his brush to humanity, which should be compensation enough.

Wounded Man Fires Shot to End Life

MODESTO, March 19.—One of his legs broken by a bullet wound, a bullet hole through the temple and his injured horse lying nearby, are features of the scene of the tragic death of Rudolph Morgenstern, prospector, 32 years old, whose body was found lying in a ravine twenty miles west of here in the Coast range mountains last yesterday.

The authorities are of the belief that his horse stumbled and fell into the ravine, accidentally discharging the shotgun. The wound would have resulted in death, but it is thought that the dying man turned his revolver on himself and quickened an inevitable death.

Cudahy Is Sued for \$9000 Board Bill

LOS ANGELES, March 19.—Jack Cudahy, member of the millionaire Cudahy family of Chicago, today was given ten days to file an answer to a suit brought against him for \$9,451.99 board bill. The California Hotel Company is the plaintiff, alleging Cudahy owes that much to the Hotel Maryland of 1400 Broadway. Cudahy claims it represents an overcharge.

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3 NATIONS IN RACE TO FLY ACROSS OCEAN

WASHINGTON, March 19.—The race for the honor of making the first trans-Atlantic flight is on.

Following the announcement that a French aviator already had made the attempt, but had been forced to give up by an accident and that a British plane had been shipped to Newfoundland whence a British aviator would try to make the flight, Lieutenant Commander Patrick L. Bellinger, U. S. N., was expected in Washington today to receive final instructions which, in the opinion of aviation experts here, result in America capturing the coveted honor.

FACTS RECENTLY LET OUT.

The fact that the navy department was to attempt the flight was revealed recently in the publication of orders assigning Commander J. H. Towers, to "take charge of the proposed trans-Atlantic flight."

Since that time Commander Towers, spurred on by the rivalry that has sprung up among the aviators of other nations, is reported practically to have finished the details of the flight with the selection of Bellinger as the pilot. Bellinger, incidentally, was the first man to pilot the plane.

Navy department officials declined to state today when the trip would be started or from where. However, it was believed the start would be made early next month and that St. Johns, Newfoundland, would be selected as the starting point because from there to the European coast is only about 1500 miles.

NEW BRITISH PLANE

Aviation circles here were deeply interested today in the report that a secretely built British plane was to try to negotiate the long flight from this side of the ocean. The machine, a Sopwith, is said to be able to maintain a speed of 100 miles an hour for 24 hours. It is equipped with a 275 horsepower engine.

The Frenchman who is credited with having made the first attempt but was forced to return because of a cracked piston in Lieutenant Bellinger, who was trying to fly from Senegambia to Brazil. He is now said to be in Paris preliminary to making another attempt at the earliest opportunity.

THREE GIANTS BUILT.

ROCKAWAY POINT, L. I., March 19.—Three giant seaplanes are being produced here in the States Navy air station here, for the proposed trans-Atlantic flight in which the navy hopes to triumph over foreign aviators. United States army aviators and private business men are building the planes.

The planes are known as the NC-1, NC-2 and NC-3, navy Curtiss planes. They are built to rise either from the land or water and are ideal in construction for the long flight. They are equipped with two engines and two propellers. The top wing spreads 126 feet 6 inches, and there is a 12-foot gap between the upper and lower planes, at the engine section. The wings are 22 feet apart. Behind the main wings are two additional stabilizing wings, almost as large enough to sustain flight. HAS THREE LIBERTY MOTORS.

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SEEK AGREEMENT FOR SHIPYARDS

WASHINGTON, March 19.—Pacific coast shipbuilders continue today to seek an agreement with representatives of the Metal Trades Councils of the Pacific coast in an effort to frame a working agreement to take the place of the one which expires March 21.

Two plans were suggested, one by the men and another by the employers. The workers asked that wages, hours of service and other working conditions be included in the agreement as well as a board to act as conciliator in disputes. The employers favored a board, with power to fix wages and working conditions.

They also suggested that the Pacific coast be divided into three districts, while the union representatives insisted that one agreement be binding for the entire coast.

The shipbuilders urged that any agreement should be sanctioned by the international unions as well as the Pacific coast locals, and that any working conditions should be composed of employers and representatives of the international organizations rather than the local unions, however, they said that they would accept membership on the board.

No decisions resulted from the discussion, but a sub-committee was named by both employers and workers to draft tentative agreement and report it later to the full conference.

Pure Milk Bill Is Passed by Senate

SACRAMENTO, March 19.—Without a dissenting vote the senate today passed the Bennett pure milk law, requiring the labeling of condensed milk, which have been extracting from milk the high-priced fats which contain the greatest food value, substituting for cheaper coconut oil.

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PETERSEN DOES FIRST WORK ON BOMB EXPLOSION

Former Chief of Police Walter J. Petersen, who directed the investigation of the threatening letters sent George D. Greenwood and Charles T. Hutchinson, will take an active part in the investigation of the Greenwood bomb tragedy. Petersen arrived from the East last night and at noon today had received his discharge from the army, where he has been serving as a captain. Immediately after he entered police headquarters after having been discharged he was taken into council on the bomb explosion, and will work on the case regardless of determination of his rank in the police department.

BANK HOLDUP CONFESSED BY CHURCH MAN

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 19.—Here's the double role played for the last ten years by George Hyatt, according to his own confession: In daylight, a printer, deacon in the church, Sunday school teacher and popular model for the boys of Anoka, Minn.

At night, a bank robber, stickup man, porch climber and all-around efficient burglar.

Hyatt is in the Hennepin county jail awaiting arraignment on a charge of attempting to rob the Champlin, Minn., State bank last week, and beating Miss Hazel Flynn, cashier, until she was unconscious. The girl is still in a precarious condition.

Hyatt's assistant, he told County Attorney William N. Nash, was a 15-year-old boy, son of an Anoka minister of another church than the one to which Hyatt entered. The boy went with Hyatt and preceded all expeditions and shared the loot. He was looked out when Hyatt entered the Champlin bank last week in his home guard uniform, and demanded that Miss Flynn open the vault.

COUNTY HOSPITAL PLANS OUTLINED

Dr. R. C. Broderick, former superintendent of the San Francisco Hospital, who has been selected by the supervisors of Alameda county to outline the features of the proposed new county hospital, gave a talk before the manufacturers' committee of the Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon at the Hotel Oakland today, during the course of which he explained the plans and told of what an institution of that kind means to the county.

Dr. Broderick said, in part: "I have been invited by San Francisco to Alameda county in a most kindly spirit to do what I can to help you construct a hospital similar to that which we have in San Francisco. I take great interest in the cause of Alameda county to provide a hospital of which the people will be proud and which they will be able to use."

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Newspaper Woman to Marry Colonel Casey

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—The engagement of Colonel Henry H. Casey, U. S. A., to Mrs. William Russell, a prominent newspaper woman and an afternoon paper here, culminated today in the issuance of a marriage license by Captain Munson of the marriage license bureau.

Mrs. Russell, who resides at 253 Clay street, where it is said the marriage will be performed late this afternoon, was 42 years of age, and Casey, being 42. The romance was begun, it is believed, while Mrs. Russell was writing special articles on the President during the war, and the wedding took place in 1917 and 1918.

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STATE FISH CONTROL BILL IS APPROVED

SACRAMENTO, March 19.—The Senate fish and game committee voted to report favorably a bill by Scott placing in charge of the buying, selling and distribution in the state now is exercised by Harris Weinstock, state market director.

A price-fixing clause in the bill was eliminated, and a provision was inserted which would prohibit the use of fish for other than food purposes without authorization of the fish and game commission.

It was contended at the hearing that fish were being sent to reduction works when there was a demand for them for use as food.

As the bill carried an appropriation of \$250,000, it was ordered referred to the finance committee.

Rich Prisoner Flees; Plotters Arrested

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 19.—After four men, one an army lieutenant, and two women, charged with plotting to release Gordon R. Patterson of St. Paul, held to \$5,000, and a prisoner in the disciplinary barracks at Leavenworth, had been arrested by Kansas City detectives and Leavenworth authorities warned, Patterson escaped last night, according to word received by Chief of Detectives Phelan.

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TO The Shipbuilders and Metal Workers of San Francisco Bay District

The industrial future of the Pacific Coast will be decided within the next few weeks.

Upon the decision, WHICH RESTS LARGELY WITH YOU, depends your job and ours.

On this decision depends the continuance of the prosperity of the last few years, OR THE ABANDONMENT OF AN INDUSTRY THAT HAS GIVEN YOU STEADY EMPLOYMENT AT GOOD WAGES and brought good times to the tradespeople who have catered to the needs of you and your families.

EVERYBODY living in the San Francisco bay district HAS A VITAL INTEREST IN SEEING THAT THE SHIPYARDS AND THEIR EMPLOYEES REACH A SPEEDY AGREEMENT AS TO THEIR FUTURE RELATIONS, AND THAT BOTH SIDES LIVE UP TO THE AGREEMENT.

To show what this industry means to you and the community in which you live, here are some figures for you to think about and talk over with your family and neighbors and anybody else that has a financial interest in your welfare.

\$81,690,000 was the amount PAID OUT IN WAGES TO EMPLOYEES IN SAN FRANCISCO AND OAKLAND during 1917 and 1918 by the shipyards whose names are signed to this letter.

For the year 1919, if present conditions can be maintained, the wage distribution will be greater than ever before. One yard that paid less than \$500,000 in 1918, and nothing in 1917, now has a weekly payroll of \$75,000.

This shipyard payroll represents only part of the wealth that came to the community through the shipbuilding activity. Practically every shop in the metal industry was working full force—and distributing wages accordingly.

This \$81,690,000, however—\$3,403,750 a month, \$112,000 a day—represents cash paid directly to the workers in the shipyards and by them distributed according to their needs and desires.

To retain the business that makes this wage distribution possible WE MUST ALL PULL TOGETHER.

THE VIOLATION OF AN AGREEMENT BY A SINGLE CRAFT MEANS LOSS FOR THE ENTIRE INDUSTRY.

The machinists, for instance, went out in violation of an agreement made for them by the Iron Trades Council. As a direct result of this breach of faith SHIP REPAIR WORK TOTALING MORE THAN \$600,000 HAS BEEN SENT AWAY FROM THIS PORT during the last two weeks. This work, that we had to refuse because the machinists were not on the job, will be done in China, Japan, and other foreign countries.

THE GREATER PART OF THE \$600,000 WOULD HAVE BEEN DISTRIBUTED IN THE FORM OF WAGES.

We are fighting now to retain on this Coast an industry that in the last two years has paid you more than eighty million dollars in wages.

ARE YOU GOING TO HELP?

UNION CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, MOORE SHIPBUILDING COMPANY, SCHAW-BATCHER COMPANY SHIPWORKS, PACIFIC COAST SHIPBUILDING COMPANY, HASTON DRYDOCK AND SHIPBUILDING COMPANY, BETHLEHEM SHIPBUILDING CORPORATION, LIMITED, Members of the California Metal Trades Association.

LETTER NO. 10.

Our next letter in this paper Saturday, March 22.

COLLECTION OF

OIL ROYALTIES

MEXICO CITY, March 13.—The Mexican government has no intention of enforcing the immediate collection of royalties on oil produced in this country during January and February under the decree of President Carranza issued on March 28, according to a statement authorized today by the branch of the Treasury Department in charge of petroleum revenues.

The announcement was made after dispatches sent from Washington on March 11 to the effect that the decree opened the whole question of the rights of foreign companies was raised. It was

was taken merely as a "matter of form" to keep the records straight, since no new decrees were issued to suspend the provisions of the oil business since the decrees relative to the oil business were issued last August.

It was pointed out that it was necessary to fix royalties to carry out the provisions of previous decrees.

There were several other departments that the whole problem would be laid before congress and that there would be no collection of royalties until that moment acts.

President Carranza of Mexico issued a decree on August 17, 1918, which in effect cancelled provisions of another decree announced on July 31, which laid out conditions for foreign oil interests doing business in that country. This was done in order to protect the interests of the Mexican people.

al and Washington and had taken official cognizance of the situation. Later it was announced that negotiations were being carried on in an effort to reach an equitable adjustment of the issue. The decree of February 18 directed the "immediate collection of royalties."

MILD WEATHER

AIUS VEGETABLES

About 350 carloads of California river potatoes are stored in warehouses, ac-

men, who say that this represents a pretty close margin of sales for this time of the year. In previous seasons at this time there have been more potatoes than there are at present, notwithstanding the fact that last year a banner crop was harvested.

per cent of the crop have already left the growing points, according to reports. The bulk of the Washington crop is still in the hands of the growers, produce dealers say. It is believed now that the entire crop will be sold on without difficulty and without loss.

Milder weather has stimulated the growth of early vegetables and receipts in the local market are rapidly increasing. Prices are dropping correspondingly. Rhubarb, asparagus and celery of improved quality is reaching the market.

normal and prices rule unusually high for this season of the year. Many car-loads of eastern poultry have been received in the Bay city markets during the last several weeks, but the demand seems to have kept prices high.

Business in the local wholesale dis-

this morning, but on the whole trade has been satisfactory for several weeks according to commission merchants. Produce has been moving steadily, and there has been no serious glutting in any line.

commission men look forward to an active season. Cannerymen are buying more extensively than in former years, and that line of business is expected to be heavier this season than during any previous year. Canning is becoming one of the greatest industries of California.

Note Sale Halts Collectors of Claims

By the terms of a decision written by Associate Justice Thomas E. Haver of the District Court of Appeals, creditors of the Pike Woolen Company, Oakland, cannot collect on further claims if they participated in a distribution of \$5000 received from the sale of notes.

This decision, concurred in by Justices Langdon and Brittain, was handed down yesterday in the case of Henry Ellison against Henion, who was seeking to recover for a loss sustained on

The court held that Ellison was attempting to collect this loss, after having turned his notes over for sale at less than par, by suing Benton as a guarantor of the original indebtedness.

the company, and was in effect making an effort to collect a debt twice. The notes had been purchased for \$5000 from an attorney representing a number of the creditors by A. M. Pike, secretary of the woolen company.

Too Many Buffaloes Is Municipal Ailment

THERMOPOLIS, Wyo., March 13.—Thermopolis probably is the only municipality in the country suffering from

too many buffaloes. The state has a herd of them there and has offered them for sale because the herd has grown more rapidly than the state can care for them.

And only recently William Clayton of

ner of Fort Garland, Colo., the famous General Palmer herd for \$40,000. These also are for sale. Clayton hopes to dispose of his herd singly or in groups to zoological gardens and Colonel George M. Sillner, superintendent of the state

Life-Termer Given

SALT LAKE CITY, March 13.—James M. Shockley, a life-terminer at the Utah state prison, convicted of murder in connection with killing two street car men, recently was allowed his temporary

mother at Bell, Mo. He made the round trip in ten days and no account of his movements were kept by the prison officials. Warden George Storrs asserts that he allowed Shockley to make the visit.

would keep his pledge to return. Shockley has taken to literature since his incarceration 15 years ago and several of his stories have appeared in prominent magazines.

Sugar Prices

NEW YORK, March 12.—Sugar. Un-

TONIGHT'S MOVIES

ELMHURST DOROTHY GISH, "The Hun Within." 8:10, 8:40, 9:10.	COLLEGE AVENUE CHIMES THEATER SHIRLEY MASON, "The Winning Girl." 8:10, 8:40, 9:10.
SOUTH BERKELEY LORIN ENID BENNETT, "Happy Through Marriage." 8:10, 8:40, 9:10.	TELEGRAPH AVENUE STRAND D. W. GRIFFITH'S "HEARTS OF THE WORLD." 8:10, 8:40, 9:10.
NAST TWELFTH STREET LOUISE GLAUM, "The Goddess of Lost Lake." 8:10, 8:40, 9:10.	PIEDMONT AVE. New Piedmont BLACKTON, "Wild Youth." 8:10, 8:40, 9:10.
MELBORE FREMONT GLADYS LESLIE, "Fortune's Child." 8:10, 8:40, 9:10.	

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NEW HOSPITAL
AT PRESIDIO
IS EXPECTED

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—Rebuilding of the Letterman general hospital at the Presidio is believed to be assured as a result of the inspection of the institution yesterday by Secretary Newton D. Baker, who left last evening for San Diego with General Peyton C. March, chief of staff. Permanent fireproof structures for the hospital were favored by the secretary.

General March left the city after the one-day visit with Secretary Baker, without specifying details of the permanent army plans which he announced. He declared that this plan has been formulated and will be presented to the next Congress, that it provides for a standing army of 500,000, raised by enlistment, and that it also arranges a reserve army of considerable size, to be recruited by military training.

Following a visit to the Presidio and hospital and demobilization camp, Secretary Baker and General March visited Fort Scott and Fort Riley. At noon Secretary Baker was guest of honor at luncheon of the Commercial club and later a speaker before the San Francisco Center at the Palace hotel.

March he visited Fort Mason and Alcatraz in the afternoon, leaving at 5 o'clock for the south.

Special occasion was taken by both men to set spokes in the wheel of the Salvation Army drive for funds which will start Sunday.

"Nothing I can say about the Salvation Army is too good for that organization," Secretary Baker enthused, and General March echoed him.

"The Salvation Army deserves the support of every man and woman in the country. No body of men will wish it more luck or give it more help than the boys who have returned home from France."

Addressing the Commercial club, Secretary Baker emphasized the importance he attributed to the league of nations plan. He said:

"The question is planetary in its significance. Are we going to give up our civilization, all that we have fought for a thousand years, and for the last four years, or are we going to demonstrate that our civilization is really capable of giving safety to the sons of men?"

"If we answer it wrong," the secretary said in his closing words, "red anarchy will overtop the world."

"If we answer it right we shall hear once more among the nations the voices of laughing children, of happy mothers, and we shall see the spectacle of the race redeemed from its greatest peril."

FOR LIONS CLUB LUNCHEON.
The program of the luncheon to be given tomorrow in the Hotel Oakland by Oakland Don, International Association of Lions Clubs, includes

Fanny Ward plays the girl to whom love meant more than honor—wealth—even life.

"COMMON CLAY"

This famous Harvard prize play is at the KINEMA today and until Saturday.

Will Advise Returned Soldiers
Special Deputy Is to Be Named
City to Work For Reconstruction

Details of the plan, to advise returned soldiers and sailors regarding government claims, bonuses and insurance under the direct auspices of the city, are being perfected today. It is planned to start the work within eight days when the ordinance appointing Fred B. Mellmann, formerly of the Judge advocate's office at Camp Lewis, as special deputy city attorney to handle the work, is finally passed.

Any returned soldier needing advice or aid in making his claims, getting his pay or his bonus, or arranging to continue insurance, will receive free advice by reporting at the city attorney's office, and dependents of injured or dead soldiers are to receive the same free advice.

The plan was suggested to the council by the naval recruiting office and other local agencies connected with returned soldiers. The recruiting office reports that many men come daily to seek advice and aid in the matter of claims, and that these men are unable financially to employ an attorney or to obtain notary's fees. Many of these cases are where the men are in need of the \$50 bonus offered by the government to discharged men.

Signs announcing the free bureau will be placed in newspapers and factories to notify the men of the new department, and the recruiting service and Red Cross will be informed of the plan. Mellmann will handle all cases for the soldiers, and there will not be even notary's fees to be paid by the returned soldier. The same applies to dependents.

S. F. AGE BRINGS CAPTURED GUN

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Hollywood, Cal.,
March 19, 1919.

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The following reply was received today:

Hollywood, Cal.,
March 19, 1919.

American Theater.

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SALOONIST
GAINS \$2.30
IN HOLDUP

Three gun-men entered the saloon of James E. Ferguson at 1477 Park avenue, Emeryville, last night and after lining the occupants against the wall with their hands up, rifled the cash register of \$27.70 in silver.

Ferguson, his wife, and three friends were in a backroom of the saloon playing cards when the men entered and ordered them to put up their hands.

All wore blue bandana handkerchiefs and while one of them stood guard at the door, another held up the proprietor in the back room, while the third took the money from the cash register.

Few words were spoken, according to Ferguson. After the men ordered hands up, the other took the money from the register. Then they both backed out of the door.

Immediately after they left the place, Ferguson ran to the bar, picked up a revolver and ran to the door. None was in sight but a lone man a block away. Ferguson fired two shots in the air. He questioned the man. He knew nothing of the incident.

That the men had come from Oakland on the Southern Pacific local train after being let out from the night shift at one of the shipyards is the belief of Marshal Ed Carey of Emeryville. Later in the night when Ferguson and his wife left the saloon for home by a side door, two \$20 bills were discovered on the ground.

It is believed that these were dropped by the men while putting the handkerchiefs across their faces.

Mrs. Ferguson said this morning that the criminals were well dressed and clean although the streets were muddy and rain was falling at the time. This is regarded by Carey that the men came in the local train which stops but a block from the Ferguson saloon.

ALAMEDA GUARDS TIDELAND RIGHTS

ALAMEDA, March 19.—The city council last night adopted resolutions calling on the Alameda county representatives, and the Alameda county legislative delegation, to vote and work against the bill No. 25, which would give the title of the cities by the State of California in former years.

The chief ground of opposition, the fear that the measures are passed they may serve as a pretext for holding the cities over to a sovereignty over the cities.

If such claim was made and upheld, the fences of the cities of Alameda and Oakland to the United States Electric Corporation of government island in Oakland harbor might be upset, and some telephone found in the Pier Corporation could assign its lease to a private concern. Under the leases of the cities the plant reverts to municipal ownership when no longer needed or operated by the federal government.

The bill is valued at \$2,000,000 and is capable of earning large yearly revenue if leased to private parties after the government has finished with it.

Man Is Robbed and Thrown Off Highway

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—While the motorist was being driven by the automobile of the San Mateo county police department for clues in the late Elizabeth Reed murder case early this morning, the motorist was thrown off the highway and his car over an embankment and robbed of a watch and chain and \$15 in money. The men were dressed in overalls and escaped, leaving the car standing beside the road, where it was found by one of the police with Stevenson lying unconscious at the bottom of the road embankment.

WOMAN SAYS
MAN PLANNED
TO SELL HER

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—Following a series of sensational disclosures of how she had been lured from her home and forced to live a life of virtual slavery and how her captor had attempted to sell her to another man, Koto Yabe, a young Japanese woman, yesterday furnished information to Assistant United States Attorney P. H. Johnson which led to issuance of a warrant for the arrest of R. Maeno. The warrant charges violation of the Mann white slave act.

The warrant is based on a report made to Johnson by Miss Mary E. Bowen, in charge of the Independent Japanese Mission at 1314 Sacramento street. According to the report, Maeno by threats and physical force, lured Koto Yabe from her home, where she lived with her husband and young son in Yoniguchi. He is then said to have brought her to California and attempted to sell her to another man.

Maeno kept the young woman in captivity, making her work for him, and supply his wants while he lived a life of ease, according to the report. They were living at Walnut Grove.

Recently she escaped and went to the Japanese mission at Sacramento. From there she was transferred to the mission in San Francisco. The young woman is residing at the mission under close guard, fearing that Maeno may attempt to kill her or carry her off again if she leaves the place.

Maeno is said to be in Walnut Grove.

Inspector Enacts Role of Cupid

Police Inspector Tom Gallagher today is hearing the new nickname of "Cupid" Gallagher about the city hall, after having acted as matchmaker, best man, purchased the license and the wedding ring, and supervised the buying of the trousseau for Michael Jurjevich and Linka Yarmach. The romance had its auspicious in the city prison. Gallagher, in the role of Cupid, opened the jail doors to let out the groom, was the guest of honor at the wedding supper, and today the case of Jurjevich was dropped from the police blotter.

Jurjevich was arrested in Los Angeles and brought here on charges made by the girl. After the arrest the couple said they loved each other, and the judge said to let out the groom, was the guest of honor at the wedding supper, and today the case of Jurjevich was dropped from the police blotter.

No Inquest in Death of Bay Auto Racer

LOS ANGELES, March 19.—The body of Walter Melcher, killed Saturday when his car overturned in the Santa Monica road race, will be taken to San Francisco tonight.

Former Hartwell late yesterday signed a certificate for burial specifying Melcher was killed accidentally and announced no inquest would be held.

It was submitted to the coroner that Melcher was a regularly registered auto racing driver. His 1919 certificate had been issued by the American Automobile Association on March 13.

There's a message from Joe King to you on Page 10.—Advertisement.

Does "Perfect Health" Mean Sanity?
Insanity Suspect Stumps Alienist
Doak Acting as His Own Attorney

John L. Doak, former San Francisco dentist, acting as his own attorney in the examination into his mental condition before a jury and Judge Lin S. Church succeeded in stumping the alienist called by the state to prove that he is insane. Dr. Leonard Stocking, medical superintendent of Agnew Hospital for the insane, where Doak was confined for seven months after he killed his brother, Samuel L. Doak in the Hollenbeck Hotel in Los Angeles, in 1912, admitted that Doak's physical examination showed him to be in perfect physical health.

"How, then, doctor, can I be insane?" questioned the defendant. "If I am in perfect health, perfect physical condition, how can I be a paranoiac? Insanity must be the result of a breaking down of nerve cells or something; there must be some pathological condition, surely. If there is none in my case how can you account for my alleged insanity?"

BASED ON HISTORY OF CASE.
The physician shifted his position and replied that such a thing is possible, that there can be insanity without a pathological condition.

"I base my conclusion on the history of the case," the physician replied. "You base it upon the fact that in 1912 I killed my brother?"

"That and the subsequent history." "I was a patient at your institution for seven months. During that time I ever manifested any symptoms of insanity, commit or threaten any act of violence or conduct myself other than in a quiet, gentlemanly manner?"

The witness replied that he did not. "You discharged me did you not?" "I discharged you on the understanding that you would go to a private institution for treatment."

TELLS STORY OF PERSECUTION.
"Doctor," the defendant asked, "do you discharge people from your institution unless they are sane and safe to be at large?"

The witness replied that they sometimes discharge people who are not entirely sane, but whom they consider safe.

"But you now regard me as both insane and dangerous?"

The defendant smiled a broad smile and shook his head in perplexity. He declared he is sane, but is the victim of persecution by his oldest brother, D. P. Doak, of Napa Valley.

The defendant announced to the jury that his mother, Mrs. Sarah Doak, will testify that he is sane and that he is persecuted by his brother.

When he came into the court room he explained that his mother's attorney had withdrawn and that it was necessary for him to conduct his own defense. He took his seat at the table and watched closely while Deputy District Attorney Myron Harris questioned the jurors. He asked only three questions.

Doak's manner of conducting his defense indicates that he has given attention to both legal procedure and to medicine. His only mistake was that he tried to introduce his main defense testimony in a number of instances in his cross examination of the state's witnesses. He was told that this was premature and accepted the suggestion. His questioning was keen and to the point and he improved greatly as the case continued. The courtroom quickly filled with lawyers who heard of his cleverness.

In his preliminary statement Harris told the jury what he expected to prove. He related the shooting of the brother in Los Angeles, following the return of Doak from Oregon, where he was confined in an asylum, from which he escaped. He said they would show that Doak was under the delusion that his wife was in danger of being sent into an immoral life by the brother who was slain. Harris related how during the prosecution that the judge halted the proceedings and instructed that the defendant be investigated for his sanity.

Doak was found insane and committed to the Southern California Hospital, later being transferred to Agnew, from where he went to a private institution which later dismissed him. Again he was arrested on an insanity charge and during his examination was deported to Oregon, where he was convicted of passing a fictitious check. The prison authorities detected evidence of insanity and transferred him to an asylum. He was sent from there to Oakland, and his examination will cost the county several thousand dollars, though he never was a resident here and is charged with no offense in this county.

SELF-DEFENSE EXPLANATION.
Doak said that he would prove that he killed his brother in self defense. He said that it was to protect his proving his innocence that the murder trial was dropped and he was tried for his sanity. He said the murder charge was dismissed, and that he was discharged from the hospital and the court for his oldest brother's troubles would be over. He said he would prove that it is a case of persecution.

Doak's gray-haired mother, however, has stated since her son was brought to Oakland that he was insane at the time he killed his brother, as the result of a cure for the drink habit.

John Fitzgerald, police sergeant of Los Angeles, testified to the arrest of Doak at the front desk. He said Doak stopped an automobile and ordered the driver to take him to the Doak home on Florida street. When the police arrived there a battle ensued. Fitzgerald testified that Doak shot at him from the doorway and that he shot at Doak. Doak asked the witness if he did not shoot first. Both men smiled broadly when the light between them was recalled. When the witness came down off the stand he shook hands with Doak and they talked it over. Fitzgerald said that at the jury hall before his trial Doak secured a Bible and preached to the prisoners.

OVERSEAS MEN
OF CALIFORNIA
IN NEW YORK

WASHINGTON, March 19.—The Forty-second (Rainbow) Division will sail from Brest between March 29 and April 19, the War Department was informed today by General Pershing. The Rainbow division lands at New York.

NEW YORK, March 19.—The transport Seattle arrived today with 157 men and the cruiser Charleston with 1271.

The organizations on the Seattle were the 104th machine gun battalion, 12 officers and 385 men; detachment 10th infantry, 3 officers and 241 men; mobile hospital number 2, 7 officers and 60 men; 14 casual officers and the following casuals:

Numbers 945, California; 947, Massachusetts; 959, 956, 1463 and 1907, scattered.

On the Charleston were the 27th aero squadron, 5 officers and 177 men; 147th aero squadron, 3 officers and 178 men and 8 casual officers.

The steamship Harrisburg, carrying detachments of the 14th infantry, 27th division, arrived here today.

The Harrisburg sailed from Brest March 10. Other troops aboard were: First and Second Air Service construction companies, 4 officers and 419 enlisted men; casual companies 370, 369, 553 (California); eight casual companies for New York and Idaho; four Brest convalescent detachments, 7 officers and 623 enlisted men, all sick or wounded; 23 casual officers, 3 general prisoners and 66 nurses. Also two naval officers and 218 naval enlisted men.

Among casualties on the cruiser Seattle were men from California, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Iowa, who had fought with the 27th and 77th divisions. They included Sergeant George H. Smith of San Francisco, who served with the 32nd field signal battalion. Smith wears a red service bar on in campaigns against the Indians. He will leave soon for his home at 2756 Twenty-first street, San Francisco, where a wife and four children await him.

Ship Goes Ashore Off Coast of Maine

BOSTON, March 19.—An unidentified ship is ashore off Old Port, Maine coast, on the Maine coast, according to despatches received at the headquarters of the first naval district this afternoon. An attempt by the naval radio station located at Otis Cliff, Me., to get in touch with her was unsuccessful. The United States coast guard cutter Ossipee was ordered out from Portland, and trawlers were ordered from Portland and Bar Harbor to assist the disabled craft.

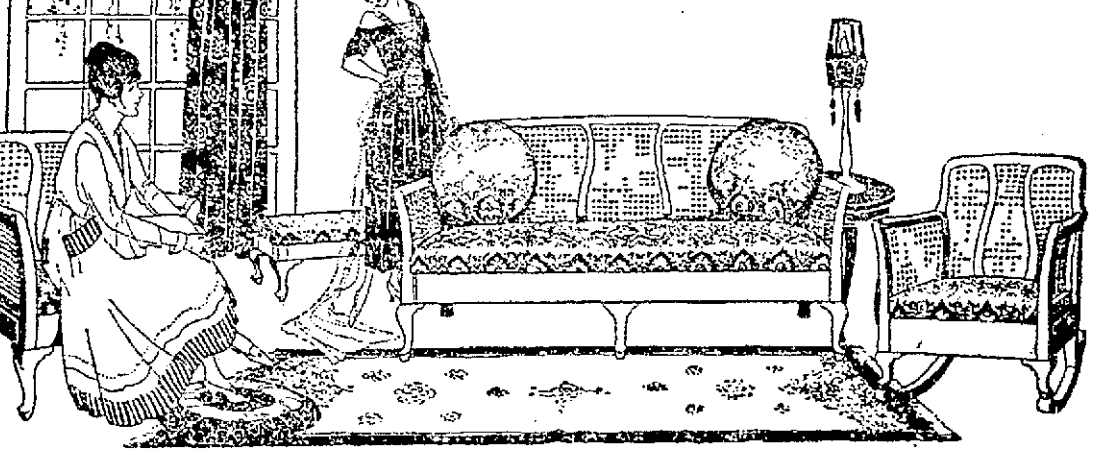
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